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DAILY TRIBUNE.

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REPUBLICAN WARD MEETINGS AND CITY CONVENTION.

The Republican voters of the city of Chicago are requested to meet in their respective Wards, at the places hereinafter [illegible], on FRIDAY, the 12th day of February, at 7½ o'clock P. M., for the selection of delegates to a Convention [illegible] for the ensuing March municipal election, [illegible] of candidates for Select Committee [illegible] from their respective districts [illegible] Aldermen and Constables in [illegible]. The meeting will be called to order by [illegible] at 7½ o'clock, precisely. The delegates [illegible] apportioned as follows:

[illegible]

The places of holding the meetings in the different Wards [illegible]

[illegible] Market Hall.

[illegible] Court House.

[illegible] House No. 2.

[illegible] Hall.

[illegible] House No. 6.

[illegible] House, corner of Indiana and [illegible]

[illegible] Saloon, on Clark street, between [illegible]

[illegible] House.

[illegible], corner Canal and Mitchel [illegible]

The [illegible] at the Ward meetings will meet in [illegible] NORTH MARKET HALL, on SATURDAY, the 13th day of February, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose [illegible]

[illegible] of the Executive Committee:

N. B. JUDD, President.

[illegible], Secretary.

The Kansas Select Committee.

[illegible] Speaker Orr's conduct in the appointment of the Select Committee of fifteen on the [illegible] Kansas Message, does not justify the good opinion hitherto entertained of his [illegible] and impartiality. Contrary to all [illegible] in such cases, he has appointed a majority of those on the Committee who are [illegible] opposed to the object for which it was raised, and in this way an effort will be made to smother investigation. We trust [illegible]

Primary Meetings To-Night.

We cannot too strongly urge upon Republicans the importance of their prompt attendance upon the Primary Meetings in the different Wards of the city, this evening. At no time in the history of this city, have our municipal affairs demanded more vigilance than at the present. A party looking only to the spoils of the next year's administration, and [illegible] the profession of a single political principle, is arrayed against us, and is using all the [illegible] and appliances known to [illegible] the leaders of that organization, [illegible] success. It must be met and overcome; and in no phase of the contest can they [illegible] get such vantage ground as in the Ward Meetings. Go, then, by all means, and secure the selection of such delegates to the Convention as will faithfully reflect the [illegible] and wishes of this Republican people. Let no frivolous or trivial excuse keep you at home!

In reference to the various tickets offered to the Republican electors of the various Wards, we would repeat and urge the suggestions made in the Tribune of yesterday: Printed tickets will be in circulation, at each primary meeting in the city. No objection can be urged to this system of voting, provided the right [illegible] is the province of each voter to decide for himself. Vote no ticket until you are satisfied the persons named on it [illegible]. Provide yourself with a pencil and make just such changes as [illegible], even if you have to [illegible] an entirely new ticket. Primary meetings were not instituted to further the interests of this or that candidate, but to enable each voter of the Republican ticket to send the representative of his own views to the Nominating Convention. The ticket made up by the Convention will govern the city of Chicago [illegible]. Send no one to the Convention who is not worthy of so important a trust.

CURRENCY AND EXCHANGE.

Meeting of Merchants and Business Men Last Evening.

An adjourned meeting of merchants and business men, having in consideration the subject of currency and exchange, was held at the Board of Trade Rooms last evening.

The meeting was called to order by the President, John C. Haines, Esq.

The President stated that the question was on the adoption of the resolutions reported at the last meeting of the Association.

It was moved and carried that the resolutions be taken up and considered separately.

In pursuance of this motion, the preamble of the resolutions were read, as follows, by the Secretary:

Whereas, the merchants and business men of [illegible], during the past four months, been receiving, in payment for debts and for property sold, a variety of currency, issued in our own and other States, to convert which into eastern exchange they have been obliged to pay exorbitant [illegible], frequently as high as ten or twelve per cent., and whereas, no community can prosper under [illegible]

[illegible]

The resolution was carried without debate.

The second resolution was then read:

[illegible]

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

The following resolutions were then taken up and adopted:

[illegible]

Mr. [illegible] then introduced the following:

[illegible]

with such banks, and to report at a future meeting, to be called by the President.

The President appointed Messrs. Frederick Tuttle, H. W. Hunt and Edward Hempstead such committee.

It was then moved and carried that the Committee on Permanent Organization, appointed at the first meeting, consisting of Messrs. Doggett, Sattler, Henderson and Farwell, be instructed to report at the next meeting.

A vote of thanks was then tendered to Mr. P. S. Wells, the Secretary of the Board of Trade, for the use of the rooms of the Board for this and previous meetings; after which the meeting adjourned, subject to a call of the President.

FROM KANSAS.

[Special Correspondence of the Chicago Tribune.]

LAWRENCE, K. T., Feb. 5, 1858.

RENEWED DIFFICULTIES AT FORT SCOTT.

A messenger bringing despatches to the Military Board from the commanding officers of the 1st Regiment Kansas Militia, in Bourbon county, arrived at this place yesterday, conveying intelligence of the renewal of difficulties in the vicinity of Fort Scott, and asking assistance from the Commander-in-Chief and the Board in quelling the disturbance.

It appears since Gen. Lane disbanded the force under his command, in that neighborhood, some weeks ago, the ruffians who make Fort Scott their head quarters, aided by their associates from Bates county, Mo., have been annoying and assaulting every person in and about Fort Scott, who is suspected of Free State proclivities. Threats have constantly been made against all the Free State settlers who reside on the Marmaton and Little Osage rivers, and they have been more or less compelled to band together for protection.

Last week three persons, very conservative Free State men, to say the least, residing in Fort Scott, were brutally assaulted and robbed. Two of them were taken and are now detained prisoners in that Ruffian hole. The third, a Mr. Johnson, who keeps a small grocery and provision store, was on Thursday last set upon by an armed band, with pistols and guns, and beaten severely. He was robbed of five horses, over one hundred dollars in money, and some five hundred dollars in other property. He barely escaped with his life, and the rascals are now engaged in disposing of the goods in his store. The only crime of which this man is accused, was that he became bail for the Rev. Mr. Stewart, who, it will be remembered was held a prisoner at this place under the late Rebellion act. The same charge is made against the other two men now held prisoners.

The whole of the Free State settlers are banded together, and remain encamped on the Little Osage, at the spot where the conflict was had with the United States Deputy Marshal Little's posse, waiting the result of their message to the Military Board. Gen. Lane is at present absent, but will be here to-morrow, when the Board will hold its first regular session. You may expect to hear further from this quarter, as the highly excited state of feeling at present existing would seem almost inevitably to bring about a collision, should the least opportunity occur.

LYNCH LAW AT TECUMSEH.

On Saturday night last a difficulty occurred between two Pro-Slavery men at this town, and the result was a collision, in the course of which one man was fatally stabbed. Both the men are notorious rangers, belonging to a gang headed by a fellow named Edwards. I have not learned the name of the parties, but only know that they are members of this gang. The murderer was seized by the people of the place, a Vigilance Committee [illegible] and a jury empanneled, who proceeded to try the [illegible] according to the [illegible] law [illegible] convicted and sentenced to be hung, which sentence was carried into execution yesterday. The man who was stabbed died shortly after the fatal wound was given.

TERRITORIAL INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE.

The committee appointed by the Territorial Legislature to investigate the Kickapoo, Delaware Crossing, Oxford and Shawnee frauds, have been at work the past week in Leavenworth City. They have had before them one judge of the Delaware Crossing election, Jack Henderson and others of the same stamp. In regard to the returns from the newly discovered city of Delaware Crossing, the evidence is sufficient to show that but *forty-three* votes were actually cast on the 4th ult. This fact was proven by one of the Judges. This must be thirty more votes than there are legal voters in the precinct, it being on the Delaware Reserve. After being handed to Henderson they suddenly swelled up to over 500. Among the names on the forged poll list, were those of Horace Greeley, Wm. H. Seward, John C. Fremont, James Buchanan, Gov. Denver, G. W. Brown and other persons equally well-known. The last named, it appears, voted twice, so at least the returns show. Henderson's evidence shows that on the night before the election, Calhoun, Franklin, Diefendorf, wrote and sent a letter to Danforth, at Shawnee, in Johnson County, urging him to see that a large Democratic vote was polled at Delaware Crossing. The plot formed evidently intended that Missourians should poll the vote, but failing in that, the conspirators were compelled to resort to forging the returns. To facilitate this, the Judge's certificate was not appended, directly after the forty-three votes that were polled, but at the end of several blank sheets, thus conveniently enabling Henderson to fill up the vacancy. I wrote to you of a report that Henderson was arrested at Leavenworth City. This turned out to have resulted from his appearing before the Investigating Committee. After giving his evidence he retired to Weston, Mo., where he remains snugly ensconced.

By means of this fraud the Marshall State ticket is elected. The Leavenworth *Herald*, the only "out-and-out" Lecompton Constitution paper in the Territory, announces as official that the pro-slavery nominees are elected, with the exception of the candidate for Congress—Marcus J. Parrott having overshot the rest of his ticket. It is stated, however, that Calhoun does not claim that the Legislators are elected in Leavenworth County. In Douglas County it appears that nearly all of the votes cast for State officers by Free State men, amounting to five or six hundred, were sent, with the returns of the vote upon the Constitution, to Gov. Denver. Calhoun refuses to count them, they not being forwarded to him in accordance with the provisions of the swindling schedule. This gives the Ruffians the members elect from Douglas County, and still keeps up the balance of power. However it is all a matter of speculation till Calhoun and his masters at Washington, whither he has now gone, shall settle upon the policy to be pursued. There is little doubt in my mind that the felons will have the State officers and Legislature in their hands, and there will be no resource left but hanging of the pro slavery incumbents, which, surely as the Lecompton State Legislature undertakes to meet, will be done, unless the U. S. Army is constantly kept around them.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATURE.

The Constitutional Convention bill passed the Council to-night, and will be laid before Gov. Denver, for his signature, to-morrow. In addition to the provisions appointing the time for the election of delegates and the meeting of the Convention, which is to take place the first and last weeks in March, a provision has been inserted by which the Constitution is submitted to the popular vote, and State officers elected under it the second week in May next. It further provides that the returns shall be made for the first election to the Governor, Speaker and President of the General Assembly, and that on the Constitution and for State officers, to the President of the Convention, inclusive with the first named. They shall count the votes, give certificates, any two of them being sufficient for that purpose.

A SISTER OF CHARITY.—The Richmond correspondent of the Petersburg *Express* writes: "It is not perhaps generally known that the Hon. Edward Everett has a sister now performing the sacred duties of a Sister of Charity; yet such is the fact, and she is about to take the position of Lady Superior in the St. Joseph's Seminary in this city. She will probably arrive nearly at the same time with Mr. Everett, who is coming to deliver his grand oration on the character of Washington."

ANOTHER DEFALCATION.—HENRY D. STONE, of Worcester, Mass., a lawyer by profession, but better known as a speculator and note-shaver, has failed and left the city, taking with him from $50,000 to 80,000 in current funds, and leaving debts of more than $12,000, with no assets to pay any portion of them.

CITY ITEMS.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILWAY.—The January earnings of the Illinois Central Road were $129,000, against $150,000 last year.

PRAIRIE CHICKENS.—We learn that the cornfields in the neighborhood of Wheaton and Danby, in Du Page County, are covered with prairie chickens, these birds having made their appearance by thousands.

THE BREACH OF PROMISE CASE.—In the case of Miss Hoey versus Mr. Lots, upon a suit for damages for a breach of promise, the jury yesterday rendered a verdict of $3,000 for the plaintiff. We are informed that the defence will move for a new trial.

NORTH'S NATIONAL AMPHITHEATRE.—This evening Red Jacket Engine Company, No. 4, takes a benefit at this theatre, on which occasion, "Timour, the Tartar, or the Captive Prince," will be performed. Those who have not seen this piece should embrace this opportunity. The scenes in the ring will be unusually attractive.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT.—Yesterday morning an accident occurred at the Junction, on the Galena and Chicago Union Railroad. The DeKalb passenger train ran into a freight train, smashing the locomotives. The accident was caused by the misplacement of a switch, and no one was hurt.

PRIMARY MEETINGS.—The Republicans should bear in mind that the Ward Meetings, for the election of Delegates to the City Convention, take place this evening. Let there be a full turn out, as the result of these meetings will determine the character of the ticket.

THE THERMOMETER.—Yesterday the large thermometer at Reed's Drug Store, No. 144 Lake street, indicated the following temperatures:

7 o'clock, A. M.—17° below.

12 o'clock, M.—4° below.

6 o'clock, P. M.—4° below.

BRYANT & STRATTON'S COMMERCIAL COLLEGE.—The lecture of J. H. Merwin, Esq., before Bryant & Stratton's College on Monday evening was an eloquent and instructive production, and well adapted to his audience. It was received with the liveliest expressions of satisfaction.

ANNUAL BALL OF THE LIGHT ARTILLERY.—On the evening of the 16th inst. the first annual ball of the Chicago Light Artillery will be given in Light Guard Hall. This fine corps are making every exertion to render their ball one of the most brilliant and pleasant of the season. It is composed of our best citizens, and there can be no doubt of its complete success.

CHICAGO LITERARY LEAGUE.—This Association has elected the following officers:

President—Harlan Wood.

Vice President—D. W. Manchester.

Recording Secretary—Wm. J. Sewall.

Corresponding Secretary—T. M. Doggett.

Treasurer—J. W. Westcott.

The Society has been organized during the winter and meets weekly for debate.

FLOUR FOR THE POOR.—The undersigned, with the aid of some benevolent gentlemen, having got up a fund which is to be expended for the benefit of the poor of the city, would give notice that he will distribute forty barrels of flour in twenty to thirty pound bags, and he will be pleased to receive information from responsible persons of cases of destitution, through the post office drawer 2869.

On Saturday next notice will be given through the papers when and where the distribution will take place.

L. C. [illegible]

[illegible]—We have received by the Arabia English dates to January 24, comprising the London Illustrated News, Illustrated Times, Daily and Weekly Times, Bell's Life, London Journal, Family Herald, Reynolds' Miscellany, Lloyd's Weekly, Punch, &c. &c. They also have the N. Y. Ledger, Mercury, Harper's Weekly, Leslie's Illustrated, Waverly, American Union, Pioneer's Advocate, and many other New York and Boston dailies of Tuesday. They have a beautiful stock of Valentines tastefully displayed.

A HOTEL THIEF ARRESTED.—A young lad, fifteen years of age, named Geo. Williamson, alias Charles Valentine, was arrested at the Willard House, charged with stealing a valise, the property of one Abram Provencer. The valise was found in his possession at the Willard House, where he had taken rooms, also a gold locket which has been identified by a mail driver connected with the Post Office, several shirt studs, sleeve buttons and ear rings. He was sent before the Grand Jury. Williamson says he is from New York and has been traveling with a circus company through the South.

ALLEGED COUNTERFEITERS ARRESTED.—For some time past a considerable quantity of bogus "smooth quarters," dimes and half dimes have found their way into the circulating medium of the West Division, and the police have been on the look out for the mint where these bogus coins were made. Yesterday afternoon a young girl went into Mr. Nathan McKinstry's store, No. 225 Jefferson street, and passed a bogus twenty cent piece. Officers Cox, Thomas and Burns, who had been on the lookout for the "mint," followed the girl to her home, on Ewing street, and arrested her father, James Allen, and his two sons—Alfred, aged twenty years, and Theodore, aged eighteen years. Upon searching the house, a quantity of brass cards of business houses in the shape of pennies, a quantity of aqua-fortis, some files, and other instruments were found, as well as some bogus coin ready for issue.

The accused were brought before the Police Court yesterday afternoon, and an examination held. Allen and his son Alfred were committed for trial in default of $500 bail each, and Theodore was held for further examination.

It appears that these men filed pennies smooth, and by a chemical process gave them the color of silver, so that by putting a cross on with a knife they bore a very close resemblance to smooth quarters, or twenty cent pieces. Coins representing smooth shillings and sixpences were also made. A number of these bogus coins were found partly finished. The officers have done a good service in breaking up this "bogus mint."

A BRIEF REVIEW OF THE TROUBLES AMONG THE FIREMEN.—During the past two weeks a great many troubles have occurred among the firemen relative to their nominations of candidates for Chief and Assistant Engineers, to be supported at the ensuing municipal election. Most of our readers have doubtless learned something of the causes of these troubles, while few, doubtless, are aware of the real position of the firemen in this matter, and we propose to give a brief statement of the occurrences and the reasons which induced the presentation of two tickets by the firemen themselves.

For many years past, and indeed since the organization of the Department we believe, it has been customary for the firemen to meet in convention and nominate candidates for Engineers to be supported by the voters at the charter elections. The people have always unanimously elected the nominees of the firemen, only one ticket being run. These firemen's conventions have always been called by the Chief Engineer. Until the present year no serious difficulty has occurred in making the nominations, and generally the utmost harmony and good feeling has prevailed.

On the morning of the 26th ult., the Chief Engineer published in the TRIBUNE a call for a convention, which notice did not, we believe, appear in any other paper, and in the TRIBUNE but once. The Chief Engineer named the 28th ult., at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and the South Market Hall, as the time and place for holding the convention. A portion of the firemen were very much dissatisfied that so little notice was given, and requested the Chief Engineer to postpone the convention a week or ten days. This he refused to do, and the firemen met at the appointed time. There were three candidates for the nomination for Chief Engineer, Mr. D. J. Sweenie, the present Assistant Engineer, Mr. Peter Casey and Mr. John Egan, of Engine Co. No. 4. After the convention was called to order it was charged by the friends of Mr. Sweenie, that Engine Companies Nos. 4 and 14, the members of which were known to be Egan men, had brought a large number of persons not members of the companies to the convention for the purpose of voting them for Mr. Egan. An attempt was therefore made to pass a resolution prohibiting all persons from voting who did not have their badges. This caused a great uproar, and ended by a great majority of the company [illegible] leaving the Hall and assembling in [illegible] Park, when they resolved to hold a convention at North Market Hall on the evening of the 28th ult, after which they separated.

Previous to the meeting of the bolters, Mr. [illegible] wrote a letter offering to resign in favor of Mr. Harris, providing Mr. Sweenie would do the same thing, and thus restore harmony in the department, but Mr. Sweenie declined the proposition for the reason that he had solicited Mr. Harris to become a candidate, but the latter refused to run so.

We have given what we think is a truthful and candid statement of a difficulty which has resulted in bringing two tickets into the field, and which may, eventually, if not at this election, cause the voters to elect whom they please, without regard to the wishes of the firemen.

The members who remained in the hall then balloted for a Chief Engineer—Mr. Egan receiving nearly two-thirds of the votes. The Chief Engineer then declared the meeting an informal one and adjourned it, giving notice that he would call another meeting.

The "bolters," as they styled themselves, met in the North Market Hall on the evening of the 28th ult., and nominated D. J. Sweenie for Chief Engineer, L. Walters for 1st, and H. W. Powell for 2d Engineer. At this meeting, sixteen out of the twenty-three Companies were represented, and the total number of votes cast was 500, about one-third of the members of the Department.

Yesterday afternoon the Chief Engineer called a second Convention, at South Market Hall, and John Egan was nominated for Chief Engineer, John Shank for 1st Assistant, and Jacob Held for 2d Assistant. The number of votes cast was [illegible], about one-third the number of active firemen. The friends of Mr. Egan contend that the meeting yesterday is the only regular or legal one held, while the friends of Mr. Sweenie insist that they have a right to hold a meeting when and where they choose, and nominate whom they please, and that their meeting is just as legal as the other one.

ANOTHER MEETING OF FIREMEN AND ANOTHER TICKET IN THE FIELD.—Pursuant to a call issued by the Chief Engineer, a meeting of firemen was held in South Market Hall, yesterday afternoon, for the purpose of nominating candidates for Chief and Assistant Engineers.

The meeting was organized by electing Mr. Darius Knights, Chairman.

Mr. McBride, Chief Engineer, briefly stated the purpose for which the meeting was called.

Mr. John B. Busch, Mr. U. P. Harris and Mr. [illegible] were elected Judges of Election.

Mr. O. W. Van Patten, Mr. Thomas Buckley and Mr. J. L. March were elected Clerks of Election.

Mr. Luther Nichols moved that Uriah P. Harris be nominated for Chief Engineer by acclamation. Ruled out of order and withdrawn.

Justice D'Wolf swore the officers of the different companies as to the correctness of their lists of members and to prevent, as far as they could, all illegal voting.

A ballot was then taken for candidates for the offices of Chief and Assistant Engineers, which resulted as follows:

CHIEF ENGINEER.	
John Egan	[illegible]
D. J. Sweenie	[illegible]
"Night Hawk"	[illegible]
Total vote	[illegible]
FIRST ASSISTANT.	
John Shank	[illegible]
L. Walters	[illegible]
"Long John"	[illegible]
Total vote	[illegible]
SECOND ASSISTANT.	
Jacob Held	[illegible]
H. W. Powell	[illegible]
Scattering	[illegible]
Total vote	[illegible]

After the ballot was declared Mr. John Egan was called upon and [illegible] three cheers for the Chairman and Clerks, which were given. Three cheers were then given for John Egan, Justice D'Wolf and Chief McBride, after which the meeting adjourned.

The following companies were represented at the meeting: A part of Hook and Ladder Companies, 1, 2 and 3; Hose Companies, Nos. 2, 3, 4 and 5; Engine Companies, Nos. 1, 4, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13 and 14.

Hook and Ladder Company, No. 1, and Engine Companies, Nos. 2, 3, 7, and 12 were represented by but few members, a majority of the members of these companies being in favor of the ticket nominated at North Market Hall.

READ the advertisement this morning of the lady who wishes a situation as teacher of painting and drawing. She is accomplished in either branch, and holds several premiums and diplomas from our State Fairs.

J. R. TAYLOR, Auctioneer, will sell this morning, a lot of Liquors, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, &c., at 114 Randolph street.

WRITE H. C. Burtman & Co., of Buffalo, N. Y., for Circulars, describing the most wonderfully simple and effective Sewing Machine in the world. See advertisement in another column. ja15-tf.

LILLIE'S Celebrated Chilled and Wrought Iron Fire and Burglar Proof Safes, Bank Vault Doors and Superior Bank Locks, can be found at No. 21 Dearborn st. au14-d-a75 D. F. PRATT, Agent.

HAIR RESTORATIVE.—We are pleased to be able to record the satisfaction of our patrons, after trial of an article advertised in our columns. We have the satisfaction to know several of our readers who have used Prof. Wood's Hair Restorative, and pronounced it to be just what the advertisement says it is. We have several personal acquaintances, too, who were gray-headed—they have tried it, and now their hair is restored to its original color, and they willingly add their testimony to its efficacy, and will give further information if others desiring it. This speaks well for the article, and we advise all who do not wish to appear gray-headed, to use Wood's Hair Restorative.—[Western Patriot. Sold by all good Druggists. fe10-d&w2w

TO THE MILLION.—Prof. Wood, of St. Louis, has, after years of deep study and untiring research, succeeded in presenting to the public an article superior to any now in use, and indeed it is truly a wonderful discovery; we advert to his Hair Restorative—the only article that has been completely successful in checking age of his gray locks, removing dandruff, itching, scrofula, &c. It restores the gray-headed to more than the original beauty; adds new lustre to locks already luxuriant; having the effect on coarse, harsh hair to render it glossy and wavy; fastens, permanently, hair that is loose or falling, and many other qualities which will become known as soon as used. The pride of mankind is singularly developed in the keeping and arrangement of the hair—perhaps from the fact that it is the only portion of the human body that we can train in any way we choose; how important, then, having this portion left to our care, that we should use all the means science has placed in our hands to render it beautiful and permanent. If you would have beautiful hair, glossy hair, hair with its natural color elegantly preserved to extreme old age, don't fail to purchase Wood's Hair Restorative.—[Daily Iowa State Gazette. Sold by all respectable Druggists. ja27-2w

DIED.

In this city, on the 8th inst., of Consumption, at the residence of Mr. J. C. Kennedy, Mr. R. G. MORGAN, aged 23 years and 5 months.

COMMERCIAL.

CHICAGO WHOLESALE MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE CHICAGO DAILY TRIBUNE,
Thursday Evening, Feb. 11, 1858.

Weather extremely cold this morning, but moderating this evening. The trade in Provisions, Hogs and Cattle, very active at higher prices. One of our city packers to-day paid out $60,000 cash for cattle and hogs bought yesterday and this morning. Money matters are improving; New York exchange a trifle lower. Despatches from New York represent money as very abundant, more than sufficient to supply all legitimate demands. Our lumber trade is on the increase, with little improvement in prices, however. A fortnight ago only two or three car loads daily were taken out by the A ton road, and as much by the Rock Island—now the number is 10 to 15 cars daily. The Flour and Wheat market is dull as ever, with little prospect of an early improvement, and yet receipts are very fair.

RECEIPTS of principal staples by rail yesterday, Feb. 10, were: 770 bbls flour; 11,127 bu wheat; 1,420 bu corn; 1,900 bu oats; 1,290 bu barley; 154 bu rye; 30 bbls highwines; 124 bbls pork; 2,000 lbs grass seed; 6,300 lbs provisions; 6,222 lbs hides; 317 cattle; 530 dressed and 522 live hogs.

The following are leading transactions of to-day:

FLOUR—Sale of 100 bbls Orangeville mills (good quality spring extra) at $3 ₱ bbl.

WHEAT—Market dull; one dealer bought a lot of about 2,000 bu spring extra at 55@c in store, and 1,000 bu and some smaller lots at 53c, in store, the latter being the regular offering rate; two or three car loads additional sold at 53c; a few wagon loads from street at 50@60c to mill; extra [illegible] to mill in bags—mills doing but little.

CORN—Small sales at 33c ₱ 60 lbs on track for new, at which there are a few buyers for small lots; but receipts are improving, and prices are more likely to decline than rise.

Oats, Rye and Barley unchanged. Four lots of good No. 2 Barley (some 600 bu) sold to a distiller at about 35c ₱ 48 lbs.

MESS PORK—Sale of 200 bbls city packed at $14 ₱ bbl. A city packer refused this for 100 bbls—another would sell at this, if the buyer would take some lighter pork therewith at $13.50; but $14.50 is the asking rate for heavy mess this evening.

LARD—Sale of 24 bbls city at 8½c; head Lard held at 7½c.

TALLOW—Sale of 20 bbls at 8½c.

CUT MEATS—Sales of 2,100 green hams, city cut, in bulk, at 7c cash; 1300 do at same, from Mount Pleasant, Iowa; 20 hhds packed shoulders at 6½c; 300 bulk sides at Burlington, Iowa, at 5c.

[illegible]

New York Market—Feb. 11.

(BY TELEGRAPH.)

[illegible]

New York Stock Market—Feb. 11.

(BY TELEGRAPH.)

[illegible]

BY TELEGRAPH.

LATER FROM EUROPE.

Arrival of the City of Baltimore.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—The City of Baltimore [illegible] this morning. She brings Liverpool [illegible] of Wednesday morning.

The Times' city article says the English funds opened at [illegible] but in the afternoon the markets became very dull, and the closing operations show a recession of half per cent.

The *Daily News'* city article says a reduction of the rate of interest on Thursday, to four per cent is regarded as certain.

John Shaw & Co., of Huddersfield, woollen cloth manufacturers, failed for £30,000. Assets feared small.

The wool dealers of Bradford have resolved to shorten the credit given to the trade, to three months.

The *Post* says, we feel as confident as belief can make us, that the Government must and will propose, on the opening of Parliament, a measure for the punishment of political assassination.

SWITZERLAND.

BERNE, Jan. 26.—The Geneva Government have replied to the Federal Council, that the investigation, which has just been made, has brought to light no fact in connection with the attempted assassination. It will exercise a strict surveillance over the refugees.

The police have been exceedingly sharp since the news of the attempted assassination in Paris. They have, or pretend to have, seized a number of letters indicating that a political movement was projected for the 15th of January, and that the conspirators only waited a signal for insurrection.

A number of persons have been arrested at Arcoli. They confess to have committed 50 political assassinations since 1800.

XXXVth Congress—First Session.

SENATE—FEB. 11.

Mr. Seward presented a memorial from citizens of Albany, offering to raise a regiment of volunteers for the army in Utah.

Mr. Mason offered a joint resolution conferring authority on the President to make appropriate arrangements for the reception of a distinguished naval officer now on his way to America.

Mr. Biggs objected to its reception.

Mr. Evans reported a resolution making appropriations for printing the opinion of the Supreme Court on the Dred Scott case.

Mr. Doolittle offered an amendment to the effect that in passing this resolution the Senate does not mean to endorse the Dred Scott decision, and called for the ayes and nays, which resulted as follows:—ayes 19, nays 22.

A discursive debate took place on the resolution.

Mr. Cameron said that he felt compelled to vote for the bill, because the work having been done, should be paid for; yet he protested against the principle of the Senate paying $15,000 for the copyright of documents belonging to the Government.

Mr. Pugh also objected to paying for the copyright of them.

Mr. Benjamin suggested that the word "copyright" be struck out, and the words "all other expenses" substituted, which was acceded to.

Mr. Slidell replied to some remarks from Mr. Doolittle; scouted the idea that in voting for the appropriation, Senators would be considered as endorsing the principles of the Dred Scott decision.

Messrs. Cameron and Pugh made strong points against the resolution, but voted yes.

The vote was then taken, with the following result: Yeas 32—including Messrs. Cameron, Dixon, Foster and Hale; nays 12—including Mr. Stuart.

Mr. Wilson offered a resolution to the effect that the Secretary of War be required to inform the Senate what officers of the army belong to the regiments now in service and are absent from service, and the cause of such absence, which was agreed to unanimously.

Mr. Davis continued his speech on the Army bill.

Mr. Houston spoke at some length, expatiating on the wrongs of the Indians, and the inhumanity practiced against them. He thought a thousand mounted volunteers sufficient protection for the Texan frontier.

Mr. Toombs preferred volunteers, and styled the regular army a despotism. He cautioned Senators to beware of it.

Mr. Davis apprehended no danger to liberty from the small number of the army.

Mr. Wilson thought the President ought to be authorized to receive the services of 5,000 volunteers for Utah; he believed the army big enough.

A motion to strike out the first section, which proposed to add two companies to each regiment, was lost—25 against 26. The same section was subsequently amended by limiting the increase to two years.

Mr. Hale said he had as soon vote for an increase for all time as for two years, for that would be the ultimate result. Without taking the question on the bill, the Senate adjourned till Monday.

HOUSE—FEB. 11.

The Speaker announced the following as the Committee under the resolution of Mr. Harris, of Illinois, to which shall be referred the Kansas Message and the Lecompton Constitution, with instructions: Messrs. Harris, of Ill.; *Stephens*, of Ga.; Morrill, of Vt.; *Letcher*, of Va.; Wade, of Ohio; *Quitman*, of Miss.; *Winslow*, of N. C.; Bennett, of N. Y.; *White*, of Pa.; Walbridge, of Mich.; Anderson, of Mo.; Stephenson, of Ky.; Adrian, of N. J.; Buffinton, of Mass., and Russell, of N. Y.

The following was announced as the Select Committee to examine into the sale and purchase of a tract of land, at Willet's Point, for fortification purposes: Haskin, of N. Y.; Hopkins, of Va.; Wood, of N. Y.; Florence, of Pa., and Hall of Mass.

The House resumed the consideration of the bill amendatory of the act for the preservation of the lives of passengers on board steamboats.

Messrs. Florence and Whitely opposed the bill, and Mr. Washburne, of Me., replied to their objections.

The bill was then committed to the Committee of the Whole.

Mr. Stanton, from select committee to investigate the charges of bribery in connection with the tariff of 1856, replied that Mr. J. W. Wolcott was asked the question—"Did you receive from Lawrence, Stone & Co., sums that is known a sum of securities or money, to the [illegible]"

Mr. Wolcott answered that he did not give money or securities of any amount, for the purpose of influencing directly or indirectly, the action or vote of any member or officer of the present or last Congress upon the tariff or any other measure considered by Congress, or before it; nor did he ever pay or promise to pay, any money as pecuniary consideration to any officer or member of any Congress for his action in relation to the tariff, or any other law; nor did he ever give any money or securities to any person, for the purpose of being paid to any officer or member of Congress for his vote or influence directly or indirectly, upon any act under the consideration of Congress; nor had he any knowledge that any such act or thing was done by any other person. He states that he had been advised by his counsel that the above is a full answer to everything that such question may involve; that to go further would be interference with his private affairs which the committee has no right to do.

The Committee say that $58,000 of the $87,000, expended by Lawrence, Stone & Co., was put into Wolcott's hands, and the Committee deem it material to know whether he admits the receipt of such sum, and how it was expended? They recommend the passage of a resolution that the Speaker issue his warrant, and the Sergeant-at-arms arrest Wolcott and bring him before the House, to answer for contempt.

Mr. Stanton remarked that the witness peremptorily refused to answer the question whether he had received money or securities for any purpose. This was an important interrogation, and if a proper answer cannot be obtained, the House had better disband the committee.

Mr. Underwood said the House was treading on delicate ground. They had better pass by the matter till to-morrow, when the question and answer would be printed, and they would know exactly their character.

Mr. Phillips said they should establish such a rule by which all such cases should be governed by it. The witness had equivocated when he should have responded.

Mr. Seward said if the witness was guilty of perjury, he was liable to be indicted, but he swore unequivocally that he never used money, directly or indirectly, to affect the legislation of the House. We could only proceed, as far as a court of justice could, and had no right to pry into private affairs.

Mr. Purviance said they had a right to know whether the witness ever received the money, and the names of the parties to whom he disbursed it, with a view to ascertain whether it was used for corrupt purposes.

Mr. John Cochrane remarked that it was unwise for the House to delay. The time had arrived to assert its authority and to bring the witness before the House for contempt.

Mr. Seward denied that the witness was in contempt of the authority of the House. At this stage the witness had a right to say to the Committee he did [illegible] affairs, and could appeal to the House.

Mr. Bowie argued that the witness had purged himself of the contempt, and that the House had no further right to pursue the matter.

Mr. Morse said, unless the House sustained the Committee he would ask to be excused from longer service.

Mr. Gooch thought the House now unprepared to act on a question of such importance, and that action should be delayed until to-morrow. The mere refusal to answer before the committee did not constitute contempt; that was a question for the House to determine.

Mr. Lovejoy said the witness had equivocated. If he received $50,000 it was no trouble for him to tell what he did with it.

The House passed the resolution reported from the Committee.

Adjourned.

Later from Mexico.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 11.—There were eleven days' fighting at the city of Mexico before Zuloaga triumphed. But few persons were killed.

Zuloaga received 26 out of 28 votes in the Council of Notables for Provincial President.

Puebla and a few other points have recognized the new government.

The whole country is in confusion.

Iguaxes Parodi, De Ciado and others opposed the new government.

They expected to march against the city. Preparations were making to meet them. More fighting was inevitable.

Alfaro had pronounced at San Luis in favor of Santa Anna, and Dictator Zuloaga issued a decree restoring ecclesiastical and military jurisdiction, and repealing the law of '56, which declared the property of ecclesiastical corporations alienable, and annulling the sales of such property made under those laws.

It is reported that the clergy have loaned the new party a million dollars.

Advices from Sonora show a state of civil warfare.

Advices from Northern Mexico state that Governors Garza and Vidaurri had settled their difficulties, and the States of Nuevo Leon, Tamaulipas and Coahuila would act in concert in the coming conflict.

Important from Mexico.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 10.—The steamer Tennessee, from Vera Cruz on the 7th inst., has arrived.

On the morning of the 21st ult., Comonfort having been abandoned by his troops, left the City of Mexico, when the pronounciados entered the palace and named one Consigo De Notablis as the head of the Government.

Notablis appointed Zuloaga Provincial President of Puebla, Tobaca and other points within the radius of the city. He acknowledges the Government which has been organized, and nominated its ministers. They, however, to the 7th, had not a single post, and were dependent upon the clergy for support.

Juares, as President of the Supreme Court, is President of the Republic under the Constitution, and has called Congress together at Guanajuato, the point of union of the Liberals, while Parodi, de Ciado, and Arteniga de Gallado, at several points are preparing to unite and march against the City of Mexico.

Lazard holds Orizaba.

The Castle of Perote is in the hands of the Liberals.

Don Juan Alvarez is said to have his forces under arms in the State of Guerrero.

The United States [illegible] survey steamer Walker, Capt. S[illegible], arrived at Apalachicola Bay. All well.

Interesting from Washington.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The Senate's Committee on Territories had under consideration, this morning, the President's Lecompton Message and the Lecompton Constitution, but arrived at no conclusion as to their action.

The Democratic caucus of the members of the House, called for to-night, has been postponed until Saturday, owing to the absence from the city of several gentlemen who desire to be present.

The Senate's Committee on Foreign Relations will shortly report in favor of extending National courtesies to the agent of the Turkish government and affording him every facility to consummate his visit to this country.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—The Navy Department have received despatches, dated Porto Prago, Jan. 6th, from Com. Conover, commanding the African squadron.

British cruizers had committed further outrage in seizing, without just cause, the James Watson, a vessel belonging to the American flag. She was taken into Sierra Leone and afterwards released.

Com. Conover has been assured by Com. Wise, the senior British officer, that the facts of the case have been laid before the British government, and that the officer who committed the outrage, would probably be deprived of his command.

Com. Conover expected to sail soon for Madeira to recruit the health of officers and men.

Fireman Shot by a College Student.

NEW HAVEN, Feb. 11.—Mr. Wm. Miles, the young fireman who was shot by a student on Tuesday night, expired at half-past two this morning.

To-Day's Advertisements.

W. S. [illegible], at the suggestion of many friends, will be a candidate for nomination before the Republican Convention, for the office of Clerk of Recorder's Court.

FOUND—A RIGHT HAND FUR GLOVE [illegible]

FIRST CLASS MASTIC FRONT BRICK HOUSE TO RENT [illegible]

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN IN A BUSINESS OFFICE [illegible]

CAUTION TO BANKERS—WE RECEIVED [illegible]

A FURNISHED HOUSE WANTED [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED—A SITUATION [illegible] Painting and Drawing [illegible]

ROOM AND STEAM POWER TO RENT [illegible] J. F. HUNTOON [illegible]

VALENTINES AT COST—$5 ONES AT [illegible] RUFUS BLANCHARD'S [illegible]

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Home Insurance Company [illegible]

MADE TO THE AUDITOR OF THE State of Illinois, pursuant to the Statute of that [illegible]

NAME AND LOCATION. [illegible]

CAPITAL. [illegible]

ASSETS. [illegible]

LIABILITIES. [illegible]

STATE OF NEW YORK, [illegible]

CHARLES J. MARTIN, President. [illegible]

[illegible] WILLIAM HUNTSBURG [illegible]

AUDITOR'S OFFICE, STATE OF ILLINOIS, [illegible] JESSE K. DUBOIS, Auditor P. A. [illegible]

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Washington Insurance Company,

MADE TO THE AUDITOR OF PUBLIC Accounts of the State of Illinois, pursuant to [illegible]

NAME AND LOCATION. [illegible] No. 54 Wall street, New York [illegible]

CAPITAL. [illegible]

ASSETS. [illegible]

LIABILITIES. [illegible]

MISCELLANEOUS. [illegible]

STATE OF NEW YORK, County of New York, [illegible]

G. C. SATTERLEE, President. [illegible]

AUDITOR'S OFFICE, STATE OF ILLINOIS, [illegible] JESSE K. DUBOIS, Auditor P. A. [illegible]

DUTCH METAL OF EVERY VARIETY and quality; also, Gold and Silver Leaf. SARGENT & ILSLEY, 145 Lake st. [illegible]

Amusements.

NORTH'S National Amphitheatre. [illegible]

Benefit of Red Jacket Engine Co. No. 4 [illegible]

TIMOUR, THE TARTAR, OR, THE CAPTIVE PRINCE. [illegible]

McVICKER'S New Chicago Theatre, [illegible]

Last Night but one of the Eminent Tragedian, MR. JAMES STARK. [illegible]

MERCHANT OF VENICE. [illegible]

CAPTAIN CHARLOTTE. [illegible]

Prices of Admission: [illegible]

The Ball OF THE CANADIENNE AND FRENCH ASSOCIATION [illegible]

Sacred Concert. THE SACRED MUSIC SOCIETY, UNDER the direction of Prof. [illegible] will give a CONCERT, for the BENEFIT OF MASTER [illegible] METROPOLITAN HALL, On Thursday Evening, Feb. 18, 1858. [illegible]

THERMOMETERS—FOR SALE BY J. H. REED & CO. [illegible]

Chicago Harmonial Society. A COURSE OF SEVEN LECTURES WILL be delivered in Metropolitan Hall, [illegible]

THE CAMPBELLS ARE COMING! STAR TROUPE OF THE WORLD! At Metropolitan Hall, Friday & Saturday Evs., Feb. 12 & 13. RUMSEY & NEWCOMB'S CAMPBELL MINSTRELS AND BRASS BAND. [illegible] SIXTEEN STAR PERFORMERS! [illegible]

Sales by Auction.

NEW AUCTION AND COMMISSION HOUSE. CALVERT & McCLEANE HAVE TAKEN THE OLD AUCTION [illegible]

J. R. TAYLOR & CO., AUCTION & COMMISSION MERCHANTS, [illegible]

GRUBB & GILBERT, AUCTION & COMMISSION MERCHANTS [illegible]

BY GRUBB & GILBERT, 104 LAKE STREET. CROCKERY AT AUCTION.—ON FRIDAY morning, Feb. 12, [illegible]

BY GRUBB & GILBERT, 104 LAKE STREET. ELEGANT FURNITURE AND MIRRORS AT AUCTION.—ON FRIDAY morning, Feb. 12, [illegible]

JENKINS & PARSONS, GENERAL AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION Merchants, [illegible]

GUNNISON, BOWMAN & KELLEY, GENERAL AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, [illegible]

W. A. BUTTERS & CO., GENERAL AUCTIONEERS AND Commission Merchants, [illegible]

PARTICULAR ATTENTION GIVEN TO [illegible]

JOHN RANKIN, General Auction and Commission Merchant, IMPORTER, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL [illegible]

IMPORTANT TO RUPTURED PERSONS. [illegible]

SHALLENBERGER'S PILLS—ANTIDOTE [illegible]

DAILY TRIBUNE.

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CITY OF CHICAGO.

Friday Morning .... Feb. 12, 1858.

The Villains Discovered.

The letter of our Kansas correspondent, dated Lawrence, Feb. 4th, gives the clearest and most intelligible account of the recent discovery of the fraudulent election returns, by which the Border Ruffian State officers under the Lecompton swindle, will be declared elected, that we have yet seen. His letter, both in its narrative and objurgatory parts, is full of interest. Read it, and get a clear idea of the manner in which the Kansas elections have been managed by the infernal scoundrels who now insist that Congress, in deciding upon the admission of the State, cannot go behind the official returns. We shall send a copy of this letter, with our correspondent's name, to each member of the Illinois delegation, Mr. BUCHANAN and JOHN CALHOUN.

Removal of the Capital of Kansas.

We learn from a correspondent at Lawrence, that the Territorial Legislature, (Free State), now in session, has removed the Territorial Capital from Lecompton, and re-located it at a point called MINNEOLA, adjoining Centropolis, and about twenty-five miles south of Lecompton. It is charged that the removal was made to serve the purposes of the speculative members of the legislative body, thirty of whom are said to own the new site. Our correspondent blazes away in a strain of great indignation; but as his allegations do not seem to be supported by any proof, we do not choose to ventilate them in our columns. For our part, we are glad that the Capital is taken away from that wretched hole, in which it was fixed by the first Border Ruffian Legislature. Without being specially familiar with the advantages or disadvantages of any of the rival claimants for metropolitan honors, we are sure that it could not go to a worse place. Our friend is sure that Gov. DENVER will veto the bill by which the removal is authorized.

The War of the Roses.

IRAM NYE, who had polite permission to resign the Marshalship of the Northern District of Illinois, when Mr. BUCHANAN came into power, has warmly espoused the President's cause, and gone to Washington to make known his allegiance and secure his reward. He wants his old berth; and DAVIDSON, the incumbent, though up to this time inclined to favor DOUGLAS, wants to hold on. The place is worth $8,000, and by sharp practice can be made to yield $10,000 per annum—at any rate, it is worth a sharp struggle. NYE left on Monday; and his track was hardly cold before DAVIDSON followed him. Now for it. NYE cursing DOUGLAS, lauding the President, and begging re-appointment, *versus* DAVIDSON damning DOUGLAS with faint praise, crouching before BUCHANAN and praying to be retained—that's the role of the *dramatis personæ!* Now for the progress of the piece. Two to one on NYE! Who takes the bet?

What of the Next Battle?

The readers of the TRIBUNE know that we have not at any time indulged in any very confident hopes that the Lecompton swindle could be defeated in Congress; indeed we have, on the contrary, predicted that the Administration would secure an easy triumph. We have known that every Republican, with the exception, possibly, of L. D. CAMPBELL, of Ohio, would prove true; but we could not repose with any confidence upon the assurances of the Northern Democrats and Southern Americans, who were nominally counted as of the opposition. The result of the recent battle, however, and the new, though not astonishing, revelations in Kansas, may give an unexpected turn to the contest. We take it that the Northern Democrats will stand firm in any event. They are those who voted for HARRIS' resolution, viz: Adrain, N. J.; Chapman, Dewart, Hickman, Jones, Montgomery, Penn.; Cockerill, Cox, Groesbeck, Hall, Lawrence, Pendleton, Ohio; Davis, English, Foley, Ind.; Harris, Marshall, Shaw, Smith, Morris, Ill.; Haskin, N. Y., and McKibben, Cal.; will hold out to the end; as will Winter Davis, (American,) of Md. They are so far committed that backing down would be everlasting disgrace. The next battle, then, depends upon the votes of those who were absent during the late struggle. They are BONHAM, S. C.; CARUTHERS, Mo.; HARRIS, Md.; LEIDY and REILLY, Pa., and MATTESON, of N.Y. Of these, three and possibly five, are with BUCHANAN; while but one of them, MATTESON, can be relied on to go with the Republicans, and him the Ruffians may expel before the next contest comes off. The result of our count then is this: Mr. BUCHANAN, to-day, has a majority in the lower House. As we have before said, changes favorable to our cause may occur, but those which are adverse may rather be expected. As matters now look, Kansas is to be dragged in under that infamous enactment.

Lecompton in Peoria—A General Row.

The Peoria *Transcript* of Wednesday gives a very animated and graphic description of the fight between the partisans of DOUGLAS and BUCHANAN, at a meeting of the harmonious Democracy on Tuesday evening last. It was but a drawn game, however, in spite of the cat-calls, growlings, bullyings, blusterings, screechings, howlings and general rowdyisms with which the proceedings were diversified. The Administration forces were led by RANEY, of the Peoria *Union*, recently converted to Lecompton; [*Interjaculatory Note.*—RANEY's paper has just been made the vehicle for carrying a long and profitable advertisement from the Postoffice Department to the view of its readers, which may account for its editor's zeal,] and the DOUGLAS men marshalled themselves under command of one McDONALD, of extensive notoriety in those parts. Two sets of resolutions were gotten up and angrily debated, but did not come to a vote. An adjournment was had until another day, when the champions of each side are to open out upon the subject matter and each other. We anticipate a rich treat in this intestine war. Go it RANEY! Go it McDONALD!

Tonnage on the Lakes.

From a lengthy statement in the Buffalo *Courier*, we learn that, during the year 1857, vessels were built upon the Lakes as follows: 5 steamers, of 4,130 tons, value $349,500; 23 propellers, of 11,976 tons, value $811,700; 15 tugs, of 1,412 tons, value $159,000; barques, of 1,266 tons, value $59,000; 3 brigs, of 869 tons, value $28,200; 96 schooners, of 28,642 tons, value $1,309,100; 4 scows, of 415 tons, value $17,000; total number of vessels, 149; total amount of tonnage, 48,598; total value, $2,743,500. In 1856, the number of vessels built was 157, of 53,350 tons, value $2,736,450; in 1855, the number of vessels built was 128, of 37,429 tons, value $1,608,300. These figures show the increase of vessels during the past three years to have been 434, of 139,377 tons, value $7,088,250. The total tonnage on the Lakes in the fall of 1857 was 388,868, and the value of the same was $15,195,400.

Wisconsin Legislature.

A bill has been introduced in the Senate to-day by Mr. Tucker, providing for the redemption of lands sold on foreclosure of mortgages, giving two years by paying 12 per cent. interest. Some such measure will undoubtedly pass.—*Milwaukee Free Democrat.*

Why not pass a law impairing the validity of all money contracts at once, and give the Constitution a sound rap, while you are at it? Why not repeal all laws for the collection of debts? Why stop half way and keep creditors in suspense?

BEAT THEM WHO CAN!—A correspondent writes us that Carr & Walker, produce dealers of Sandwich, DeKalb county, have bought a lot of 109 hogs, raised by Thomas Finnie, near that place, averaging 475 lbs. each, dressed. Will any Egyptian farmer, or any dweller in the Wabash Valley, beat this?

What the Country Gained by Discrediting Shinplasters.

The very few men in this community who lament over the fact that the Georgia wild-cat bankers had not in circulation, in the Northwest, five or ten millions of dollars, at the date of the first shock of the revulsion, in July last, are exceedingly busy in making all the noise they can. They are, for the most part, under such obligations to the red-dog and wild-cat operators that they cannot refuse to squeak as their masters command; or they are the wise financiers, whose ideas of currency and national wealth are limited to the firm belief that bank-notes are money, and that the aggregate wealth of the people may be indefinitely increased by indefinitely increasing the volume of paper in circulation. With either class, it is only waste of time to attempt argument; because the first would never be converted though ever so thoroughly convinced, and the last require instructions in the rudiments of finance before they would be able to comprehend the force of any sound deduction from well known financial facts. But as their uproar is just now at the highest, we propose to prick their wind-bags and silence the clamor. In the early part of the year 1855, the Georgia bankers hereabout—the owners of the Atlanta, Lagrange, Interior, Cherokee Insurance, Planters' Bank of Dalton, Merchants' Bank of Macon, and a concern at Rock Island, the name of which we have forgotten—monopolized the currency making of the Northwest. The banks of Illinois, Wisconsin and Indiana, organized under the laws of their respective States and compelled to put up ample security for the redemption of their circulation, were driven out of the field by the competition of those cheaper concerns which went into operation on the generous confidence principle, without paid capital, and without security of any name, sort or kind whatever. At that time, it seemed that the country was to be delivered over to the tender mercies of these gentlemen; and in expectation of the rich harvest that they hoped to reap, their arrangements for a further supply of irredeemable and depreciated paper, were on a magnificent scale. It is thought by those best acquainted with these institutions, that, within six months from the time that the TRIBUNE began to wage war upon them, they would have had six or seven millions of their unsecured promises-to-pay scattered over the West. Had they been allowed to gain the advantage of position which that immense sum would have given them, the contest which we opened, and with the well timed and valuable assistance of all the independent unpurchased journals of these States, successfully carried on, would not have resulted in their defeat. It may be assumed, and the fact requires no proof, that they would have controlled the finances, commerce and productive industry of the Northwest. With such a power in their hands, they could have dictated terms to all our domestic banking institutions, and enforced compliance with their wishes; and they could have swept the field of their issues, of all the currency except their own. Success would have made them bolder and bolder. The issue of that half-cord, more or less, of the notes of the Bank of the Interior, which have never yet seen the light, would have been followed by other half cords of the same precious stuff. The lesser animals of the feline tribe, who have little or nothing to lose, would have followed SMITH's example. BUNCE, TENNEY and the whole gang of men who grow rich by getting something from nothing—whose Georgia banking is comparable to nothing else than the "sweating process," to which current coin is sometimes subjected, would have poured out their hundreds of thousands and half millions as fast as presses could have printed, and hired Cashiers and men-of-straw Presidents could have signed. PRESTON, then the manager of the Planter's Bank of Dalton, whose swindling propensities were limited only by his own capacity, would have run rampant in the field, and, perhaps, half a dozen others would have been added to the list. We, then, would have entered upon the revulsion with at least ten millions of Georgia currency afloat in the Northwest, behind all of which there would not have been half a million of coin for its redemption. What would have been the first consequence? Is there a man in Illinois so stupid as to believe that the confidence of the public in this stuff could have been maintained for a month, at a season when confidence in everything else seemed to have gone out? Is there a man in Chicago who doubts that, in August last, when exchange was up to such an unprecedented figure, a run on every one of these Georgia rag-money mills would have commenced? Is there a man anywhere who will pretend to believe that even GEORGE SMITH, with his two millions of wealth, and his unbounded credit, could have redeemed, at that time, his entire circulation within sixty days? We do not ask these questions of the men who have progressed beyond the a-b-c's of finance; but of the fools who are cackling over the supposed power of Georgia shinplasters to remedy the ills that now cripple the business of the West. We tell them that, during the panic, Georgia money could not have lived three weeks. It would have been started toward the swamps, whence it came, in packages of tens of thousands, and though it might have been current as long as the express messengers returned agents for the notes forwarded, an intimation of a suspension would have made every dollar of it as worthless as the paper upon which it is printed. The bankers who made it would never have dared to reissue a dollar that came into their hands. In their rush to save themselves they would have put the screws to every creditor, and demanded payment on the spot; and they would have added to the general distress by their frantic efforts to take in their widely extended circulation. The upshot of the whole matter would have been this: The North-West would have been left without any circulation whatever; or the people would have had their hands full of notes that were worth nothing! It must be remembered, all the while, that these Georgia shinplasters never had a firm hold upon public confidence; that they were unsecured, always doubtful and always depreciated; that during the most prosperous times, they were looked upon with suspicion; and that during a period of panic every man would have made haste to get them off his hands. Like the regularly organized institutions in the other parts of the country, doing business in the States by which they are chartered, and commanding the respect of those acquainted with their affairs, they could not have borne suspension. They were wildcats from the beginning; and where men supposed to be beyond the reach of an overthrow, and the strongest and most respectable monied institutions in the whole land, were driven to the wall, even GEORGE SMITH could not have breasted the storm. If not he, how much less his two-and-six-penny imitators—your Prestons and such small deer?

We are convinced that in getting rid of Georgia money at the time the country did, it was saved a most calamitous infliction; and that the utterers of that money owe us, and others like us, who compelled them to haul in their horns, a debt of gratitude that they will never undertake to pay. We were instrumental in saving them from bankruptcy and ruin, and the people from inevitable loss. The panic struck like a white squall, but not until the wild-cats had retired under safe shelter. The crash found the country in possession of seven or eight millions of currency made by the Illinois and Wisconsin banks, every dollar of which was amply secured, and every dollar of which, though the bank that made it, had failed, shut its doors and gone into liquidation, commanded the confidence of business men. It is true that our banks, like all the other institutions of the sort in the East and West, suspended specie payment, that one might as well have got blood out of a turnip, as a gold coin from them; but the people knew that eventual payment was beyond any doubt; that it did not depend upon the real or supposed wealth or honesty of any man or set of men; that the bonds which would bring them dollar for dollar on every note they could get, were stored up where no act of the banker could spirit them away. As a consequence of all this, Illinois and Wisconsin notes were everywhere gladly received; the banks made no haste to draw them in; they were left in the ordinary channels of trade; bought cargoes, liquidated balances, discharged mortgages, and kept alive business in a way that all the money ever made in Georgia could not have done. Whatever exemption the West may have enjoyed from the worst effects of the crash, must be attributed to the absence, as a circulating medium, of Georgia skin-plasters, and the presence in all the channels of trade of a currency upon which, in a time of distress, the people could rely. We are, and we believe the people also are, satisfied with the country's experience with the two kinds of paper; and we are further satisfied that the man who desires to give up stock securities for the credit of the Georgia operators, is either a knave or a fool.

IOWA LEGISLATURE.

[Correspondence of the Chicago Tribune.]

DES MOINES, Iowa, Feb. 5, 1858.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—The House disposed of the case of Judge Claggett, of the First Judicial District, in accordance with the report of the Special Committee on Impeachment. Mr. Clark, of Du Buque, the chairman, made the report, "That there is no cause for impeachment," etc.

In making this report he took occasion to say that the Committee were of opinion that Judge Claggett had been hasty, arbitrary and wrong in many of his acts and decisions, but gave him credit for good motives, which enter into the grounds of impeachment, and mitigate his conduct. And, further, that there is a higher tribunal of public opinion, before which an unjust Judge must be tried, and the people, under our Constitution, have not long to endure a wicked Judge. Besides, the law of impeachment has two objects: first, to preserve the ermine of justice pure; and, secondly, to remove an unfit or disqualified Judge. In the case of Judge Claggett, the Committee are of opinion that any other impeachment than that of public opinion would be imprudent, as he has only till October next to hold office. The report was concurred in, and the committee discharged, by a vote of forty-four to twenty-three. This is probably the end of the matter, though much dissatisfaction exists.

The House also passed the Senate bill to issue $200,000 State Stock Bonds, at 7 per cent., for ten years, payable in New York.

The Senate passed a bill authorizing county officers to submit the question of selling swamp lands to railroad companies to a vote of the people. Also considered a bill for the benefit of non-resident stockholders, not making them liable for neglect of notices, &c.

The Commissioners are at work on a new practice act. H.

The President's Kansas Message.

CHICAGO, February 10th, 1858.

Messrs. Editors of the Tribune:—I have carefully read the President's Message to Congress on the Lecompton Constitution, and while reading it many thoughts forced themselves upon me; thoughts that were anything but commendatory of views therein expressed by the President, in relation to that most disgraceful of all things purporting to be a Constitution. An instrument "conceived in sin, and brought forth in iniquity," and pronounced by all rational, unprejudiced minds, of whatever party or sect, to be the most villainous concoction ever attempted to be forced upon any people in whom they profess to believe is vested the right of "popular sovereignty,"—the right to form their "domestic institutions in their own way," of which we have heard so much for the past three or four years, and in the advocacy of which the Little Giant tells us he has spent so much health and strength—which doctrine is entirely ignored by that precious instrument, as it establishes Slavery in Kansas in spite of the will of the majority, and Mr. Buchanan was aware of that fact months before he penned that infamous message; a message that will write him down in history as a pliant tool in the hands of the Slavery propagandists.

The President tells Congress that the Lecompton Constitution is the embodiment, the ultimatum, of the popular sovereignty doctrine. I, for one, am glad that we have at last an official interpretation of that mystic doctrine, for now, "out of their own mouths can we condemn them." When we told the advocates of that specious fallacy, that it was a humbug to delude the people in order to force Slavery into Kansas, they treated our arguments with derision. Now we see our predictions verified; so do many of our opponents, as the leaders of that corrupt party will realize to their sorrow and dismay ere long, for their followers that were deceived by these traitors to freedom, with the cry of "popular sovereignty," will arise in their *true* strength, and hurl these monsters from power, and reaffirm the Constitutional doctrine that Congress has the power to "make all needful rules and regulations concerning the Territories" of the United States.

Every reader in the history of Kansas, as published in the newspapers of the day, irrespective of party, can do no less than brand the sentiments contained in the Lecompton Message as gross perversion of facts and silly animadversion against the Free State men of that unhappy territory.

The author of that message has been known as the "Sage of Wheatland,"—the one that would untie the "Gordian knot," and whose advent into the Presidential chair would prove a healing panacea for all the wrongs of bleeding Kansas. And did not his admirers, with a flourish of trumpets, proclaim that the mantle of Washington had fallen upon him, and that he would prove a second father of his country. They made many other foolish predictions, rendering their "Sage" too foolish to mention. [illegible] of his acts since his inauguration will [illegible] to claim the endearing title of [illegible] of the Country," we will let the history [illegible]. A. REPUBLICAN.

Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railroad.

EDITORS CHICAGO TRIBUNE:—As a matter of interest to our citizens generally, I would call your attention to the following article taken from the *American Railroad Journal* of the 6th instant. That superior skill in engineering which has in the Pennsylvania Railroad produced the best specimen of the art in America—making it the most substantial in structure as well as the most complete in its design—that controlling direction which makes it one of the most systematic, safe and profitable in its operations of all the American railways, is now fully enlisted in the early completion of this and of the new route between Chicago and the Atlantic cities. When completed, the Pittsburg, Ft. Wayne and Chicago R. R., will, with the Pennsylvania road, make a line from Chicago to Philadelphia with but one change of cars; and a line that will be much nearer and more direct to New York than any other.

It is confidently expected that the parties who have by Mr. Thompson been enlisted in the enterprise, with an abundance of capital to prosecute it energetically, will press it on to a final completion, early the coming summer, perhaps by the first of July.

The encouragement given in the article quoted, and the general interest our people in the North-West have in the completion of so important a thoroughfare, I am sure will be apology sufficient for calling your attention to the subject.

Respectfully yours, &c.,
JNO. EVANS.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

Happily for the interests of the Pennsylvania Company, the arrangements for reaching distant points with both trade and travel have been satisfactorily arranged with companies west of Pittsburg, at least so far as it is possible until the completion of the Pittsburg and Steubenville road, and the bridge over the Ohio at Pittsburg and Steubenville, connecting the Pennsylvania with the Pittsburg and Steubenville and the Steubenville and Indiana Railroads. This consummation will be perfected, it is hoped, during this year, and then, with the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad Company, and other connections, the Pennsylvania road will be in a condition to do much larger business than ever before.

In a financial point of view there is scarcely a railroad company in the United States that occupies the same position as the Pennsylvania. From the last annual report we observe that the bills payable of the company, or what is usually denominated the "floating debt," on the first of January, 1857, was $1,713,608.51. Since that time a semi-annual dividend of four per cent. on the capital stock was declared and paid (in June) and extensive improvements were made during the year, involving an expenditure of hundreds of thousands of dollars, and notwithstanding these important considerations the floating debt proper, on the 1st inst., was less than four hundred thousand dollars! This result speaks for itself, and indicates the excellent management of the affairs of the company. No similar enterprise met with the same success last year, and it is not too much to say that if the same wise economy which distinguished the administration of the affairs of the company last year, is carried out this, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will be entirely rid of her floating debt; that it will pay semi annual dividends regularly, and in the future meet all its obligations in cash.

The great reduction in the expenses of this corporation is a feature of policy that must be appreciated. This aided materially in lessening the recent reorganization of its affairs for conducting the general business of the road. The future is full of promise for more extraordinary returns to the Treasury than has ever before been experienced.

It is proper to state that the difficulties that have for some time surrounded the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad Company have been so far overcome as to enable that Company to enter upon energetic measures with a view to the completion of eighty-five miles of their road from Plymouth to Chicago, and J. Edgar Thompson, Esq., the President of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, has been induced to accept the position of Chief Engineer upon the Chicago extension. The position, however, we understand, is merely a nominal or supervisory one, and will not render necessary the relinquishment of the Presidency of the Pennsylvania Company. Mr. Thompson will have full charge of the whole work, and holding as he does also, the position of a director in the company, will be the better able to protect the large interest which the Pennsylvania Company has in this great enterprise, and promote the prosperity of both, by opening without unnecessary delay, a complete and uninterrupted line of railroad between this city and Chicago. Of the eighty-five miles between Plymouth and Chicago, to be completed, forty are already graded and prepared for the rails, and the company have abundant means for the purchase of the iron and other stock for its complete equipment.

LATEST FROM KANSAS.

The Villains Smoked Out.

ANOTHER DESCENT UPON LECOMPTON.

A NEGRO IN THE WOOD PILE.

[Special Correspondence of the Chicago Tribune.]

LAWRENCE, K. T., Feb. 2, 1858.

One of the most important results accomplished for some time past in Kansas, has this day been achieved. The Investigating Committee has gained something tangible in the shape of evidence of the fraud practised by John Calhoun and his compeers. On Saturday last they held a meeting in this city, and cited Gen. McLean to appear and bring the returns of the two elections with him. McLean came down to Lawrence and swore point blank that the returns were not in his possession, that they had been left by Calhoun with him, but that afterwards he gave them to a man whose name he did not know, but whom he recognized as a resident of Platte County, Mo., he stating he had been sent by Calhoun for that purpose.

This McLean swore to positively. On Monday, reliable evidence came from Lecompton, from private hands, friendly to our cause, that the returns were still in possession of McLean, who, with three others, had on Friday night last (twelve hours previous to his swearing positively that he knew nothing of their whereabouts) buried the returns of the two elections, on and under the Lecompton swindle, beneath the woodpile near the office of the Surveyor General.

Immediately on receiving this information, the Investigating Committee filed before Probate Judge Miller a proper affidavit.

Upon which Judge Miller issued a search warrant and placed it in the hands of the Sheriff, Gen. Samuel Walker, who in the meantime left for Lecompton to watch the movements of McLean.

THE CAPTURE.

This morning at 9 o'clock, a posse of fourteen, consisting of Messrs. James F. Walker, G. Earl, L. N. Tappan, J. B. Haines, J. R. White, A. Gunther, L. Hanscom, Levi Gates, J. L. Stones, S. Jerrold, W. J. King, R. Hutchins, N. Webster and J. Shepherd left Lawrence for Lecompton. On arriving at that place, they entered by different routes, to avoid creating alarm, and then dismounted by the Land Office, walked down to Calhoun's office, and, re-assembling, entered therein. Sheriff Walker produced his warrant, which McLean read, at first carefully, but soon showed evident signs of agitation. He turned with affected carelessness to Walker and told him he might search the building, assuring him, however, that he would not find them there. Walker told him he certainly should go ahead; that he knew where they (the returns) were, and that he should search the building.

It was curious to see how McLean's bluster subsided at this cool declaration of the Sheriff. To speak in vulgar parlance, "he wilted," and tried another tack. "He hoped that the Sheriff would wait till he could get legal advice as to his (Walker's) right to act." Walker, however, told him he could not wait, and turning to his posse, walked to the door and ordered them to remove the wood pile, which stood a few yards off. This was quickly done. About the centre of the pile, a spot of freshly turned earth was found, and there, in the absence of a spade, the posse worked with sticks—into the ground about eight inches—and found a box which contained the election returns so much sought after. It was triumphantly taken possession of and placed in charge of the Sheriff. The party then returned to their horses and left the town. As they expected that they would have to fight, most of them did not feel entirely satisfied, so they went across to the residence of G. W. Clark, the murderer of Barber, who it was ascertained had arrived at Lecompton, from Fort Scott, yesterday. They did not succeed in finding him, and at 3 o'clock P. M. they reached Lawrence with their prize. I am thus careful to note all the particulars of this affair, as this is the most direct testimony yet obtained of the frauds practiced upon the people of Kansas. The box containing the papers was then put into the Judge's hands, the Sheriff making return of the execution of the search warrant.

McLean made a formal protest against the action of the Sheriff, which was appended to the warrant. The same hands from whom the particulars of the burying of the returns was obtained, did also another act of good service. There are from fifteen to twenty clerks employed in Calhoun's office, all of whom are rabid Ruffians. Some forty-four muskets are also kept there, constantly loaded. On Monday night from every one of them the cap was taken, and if resistance had been made, the posse would have been enabled to have effectually overpowered them.

FLIGHT OF McLEAN.

By later news from Lecompton we learn that the perjured conspirator and confidant has fled from the justice he expects to be dealt out to him. He was treated most contemptuously by several prominent Pro-Slavery men when he asked their advice as to what he should do. Newsom, of Tecumseh, told him "he was a d—d scoundrel; that he had better stayed when we undertook to arrest him, to fight it out till he was killed, or else he had better clear out immediatelely. In either case he must not expect to receive any aid from them." McLean left and in all probability is in Preston, Mo., on his way to Washington to be feted and welcomed as a martyr to the nigger.

OPENING OF THE RETURNS.

To night Judge Miller held an examination and Gov. Denver and Messrs. Babcock and Deitzler were called to the witness stand to identify the returns as the same as those they saw counted at Lecompton a few days since. Gov. Denver swore positively to them, or at least some of them, being those returns. The Speaker and President of the Territorial Assembly also corroborate the testimony of the Governor. The Court then ordered them to be given into the hands of the Investigating Committee, that they might examine them.

THE DELAWARE CROSSING RETURNS.

During the evening, while the clerk of the Court was engaged in making a preliminary examination, in order to ascertain the number of the papers, the celebrated and so much sought-after Delaware Crossing returns were discovered. On opening them they were found to contain *three hundred and ninety-five votes*, nearly all of which are fraudulent. Of course, among these papers are the Oxford, Shawnee and Kickapoo frauds. The opening of them all and the investigations will be of a decidedly interesting character. The committee will sit at Lawrence for the present, and all that is important will be transmitted to you. Judge Miller issued writs for the arrest of the judges of Delaware Crossing Precinct, and also for McLean. Posses left here immediately, and it is hoped that they will be successful in the effort to capture Calhoun's man Friday before he gets out of the Territory.

FEELING OF THE PEOPLE.

It is impossible for our friends to imagine the feeling of exultation that fills every one's heart and dances in the eyes of all you meet. It is felt that a great step has been made, and that with the brand now set upon Calhoun and his confederates, of being wilful perjurers, forgers and felons, that the Congress of the United States will not dare to be so besotted as to admit Kansas under that villanous, black and infamous Constitution. How changed the scene from that of a few short months since. The men of Kansas, no longer hunted down like wolves, persecuted by a tyranny under the shadow of legal authority, are now boldly ferreting out, bringing to justice or driving forth as branded fugitives, to be jibed and hissed at by a scornful world, those blood dyed traitors who so long have ridden rough-shod over the law. No longer do we give you bare statements only, but with the proofs legal and ample of the villany of these devils incarnate now in our hands—with the returns of two of the most important elections ever held on this contest, dug from *underneath* a wood pile,—we come before the Federal Congress and challenge them to *dare* receive the Lecompton Constitution. Where is the Northern Representative that will do so infamous an act as vote for that instrument. Let him stand forth, scorned and despised? a mark to be spit upon, and leaving a name forever to be linked with that of Benedict Arnold. Among those who acted as a posse to Sheriff Walker, were a number of men who in days gone by had suffered the *legal* persecutions of the Ruffian party. Four of the party were of those who were arrested at Hickory Point in September, '56. They were confined all through that dreary winter, and were tried for murder before Jeffries Lecompte. These men felt good in performing their work to-day, for often had they been insulted by this same McLean, now a perjured fugitive flying from justice. Verily "the truth comes uppermost, and ever is justice done."

OXFORD PRECINCT.

A letter from Charles Myers, of Olathe, Johnson Co., who was appointed by the Legislature to take the census in the precinct of Oxford, announces the result of his labors in a letter which reached here to-day. He found the legal vote of that populous city and precinct to be THIRTY-THREE, *seventeen of which are Free State* in politics. The fact needs no comment.

Later—Second Letter.

LAWRENCE, Feb. 4, 1858.

INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE.

This body is holding its session in this place. It has before it Sheriff Jones, Dieffendorf, (Calhoun's brother-in-law) and the election judges of Delaware Crossing. Jones' testimony did not amount to much, while Dieffendorf's acknowledged fraud though non-committal as to by whom committed. The Judges swore point blank that returns in possession of this committee were not the same made out by them. That the certificate appended to the forgeries was taken off the genuine returns, and appended to the fraudulent. The guilt of this forgery rests between Calhoun, Isaacs, Henderson, Franklin and Deiffendorf. There is some hopes of identifying the handwriting. The names in the returns of the Kickapoo election are mostly copied from the Buffalo city Directory. Cincinnati is again used for Oxford and Shawnee, while Delaware Crossing is a mixture of the two. McLean has succeeded in making his escape, and is now in Missouri. Denver has issued a requisition on the Governor for his person, and also upon President Buchanan for the body of John Calhoun, now in the city of Washington. This requisition is made upon Buchanan as the Chief Magistrate of the District of Columbia. It does not seem possible that Denver can be retained in office a great while longer. Though in general very non-committal, yet this last act must stamp him as a d—d abolitionist, in the eyes of the Administration. R. J. H.

A New Scheme.

An effort is making at Washington by the member from the Keokuk district in Iowa, to get a transfer of the present appropriation for the improvement of the Lower Rapids of the Mississippi, to be used in the construction of a slack-water canal around those rapids—in the expectation, no doubt, of getting other aid from Congress hereafter. A company has been incorporated by the Iowa Legislature, for the construction of this canal, in which the member from Keokuk has a large pecuniary interest. It is a private stockholder concern, and if ever finished will cost a large amount of money. All tolls collected by this company, and they must be heavy to make it profitable stock, will operate as so many and onerous trammels upon the commerce of that great region. St. Louis and the whole country above and below the Rapids are interested in the safe, easy and cheap transportation of all articles of commerce on that great river; and it is important that her Chamber of Commerce as the representative of this interest, should inquire whether this transfer of the appropriation would not operate seriously to her injury. The Rapids have been, and can be, much further improved by the system now in operation. Maj. Floyd says he is now prepared with boats for the prompt removal of the most serious obstructions in the channel, and is opposed to the proposed transfer of the appropriation—a transfer which, when once made, will be regarded as an entire abandonment of the execution of the work of the General Government. There is no security, if this abandonment is made, that the canal will be completed in the next ten years, for it is a most formidable work; and in the meanwhile commerce suffers from this delay, and is to be trammelled ever afterwards by heavy tolls.—*Missouri Republican.*

Lecompton in the Wisconsin Legislature.

The Madison correspondent of the Milwaukee *Free Democrat* says:

"The infamous misrepresentations and damnable doctrines of the President's message on the Lecompton Constitution, occasions some sensation, and will confirm many of the Democrats in opposition to Buchanan. Marshal Thomas has been here, and a caucus has been held with a view to marshalling the Democrats in favor of the administration. With what effect, of course, I know not, but I think a majority of them will be found on the side of Douglas. A joint resolution will be introduced soon, simply in opposition to the admission of Kansas under the Lecompton Constitution, without giving the reasons therefor, and it is thought that it will receive the favor of nearly every Democratic member."

THE KOSSUTH FAMILY IN AMERICA.—A writer in the New York *Journal of Commerce*, speaking of the Kossuth family in the United States, says:

"The daughters of the admirable Madame Meslenyi, the Nightingale of the Hungarian war hospitals, have been most generously cared for by Mrs. Cruger, of our city, and, under superior teachers, have grown up to sensible and accomplished womanhood, such as would have rejoiced the spirit of their departed mother, who exclaimed on her death bed that she could now expire in peace, since her children would be in a better condition than if she had lived. Friends of Mad. Zulovsky have purchased for her a little farm in New Jersey, where she lives in retirement with her two youngest children. Her second son is quite distinguished as a civil engineer in the West. [illegible] young ladies at Cornwall, near Newburg, which promises to be highly successful. Her eldest son, a graduate of Union College, is in the engineer department of the navy yard at Brooklyn; the second is in the navy agency at New York. They are gentlemanly, unexceptionable young men."

THE LONDON TIMES DESCRIBED BY A COTEMPORARY.—The *Times* is called the "leading journal" by those who fear or flatter it. The truth is, the *Times* is simply a commercial speculation like the tailoring business of Moses & Son. The literary articles in the *Times* are always trash; but its political articles are supposed to be models of style. They are about as good as melodramatic thunder can be. They are rather excellent Anglican than excellent English.—There used to be in Holland, a hundred and fifty years ago, a French style which was called the Refugee style. Without being an absolutely bad style, it was not genuine French. The *Times* helps to corrupt our language just to the extent that it is more Anglican than English in its political articles. In structure and sound, the periods of the *Times* are a sort of truncated Johnsonian. These, seasoned with familiar quotations from the Latin grammar, and presented with an oracular air, tell immensely on the mind of the shop-keeping Englishman, who wants a good deal of noise for his money.—*The London Statesman.*

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These Pills are nothing new, but have been used by the Doctor in his practice for many years both in France and America, with unparalleled success in every case; [illegible]
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Notice.
THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the undersigned, under the firm of J. H. Dunham & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Either partner will sign in liquidation.
Chicago, Dec. 31, 1857.
J. H. DUNHAM.
H. W. HINSDALE.
J. P. BABCOCK.

The undersigned have this day formed a limited co-partnership, under the name and style of Hinsdale & Babcock, (successors to J. H. Dunham & Co.) for the transaction of the Wholesale Grocery and General Commission business, at the old stand of J. H. Dunham & Co., Nos. 114 and 116 South Water street, foot of Dearborn.
Chicago, Jan. 1, 1858.
H. W. HINSDALE.
J. P. BABCOCK.
J. H. DUNHAM, Special Partner.

Notice of Limited Partnership.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Henry W. Hinsdale and John P. Babcock, who respectively reside in the city of Chicago, and John H. Dunham, who resides in the said city of Chicago, in the county of Cook, and State of Illinois, have formed a limited partnership, pursuant to the provisions of an act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, entitled "An Act in Relation to Limited Partnerships," approved February 10, 1857, for the Buying and Selling of Groceries and such other articles as are usually dealt in by Wholesale Grocers, and also to transact a general Commission business and dealing; that the business of said partnership is to be carried on in the city of Chicago; that all the parties interested in said partnership are the said Henry W. Hinsdale and John P. Babcock, who are the general partners, and the said John H. Dunham, who is the special partner; that the said John H. Dunham has contributed the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars as capital to the common stock, and that the said partnership is to commence on the first day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, and is to terminate on the first day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty.
Dated this first day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight.
J. H. DUNHAM.
H. W. HINSDALE.
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FRIDAY MORNING.......FEBRUARY 12.

MORE OF THE ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION.

Description of the Grenades.

NAPOLEON'S COOLNESS IN DANGER.

The New York papers contain elaborate accounts of the attempted assassination of Napoleon. We copy from the *Times* a few additional particulars of the method used and the miscarriage. The extracts are from the letter of the *Times* Paris correspondent, dated January 21:

The bombs or hand grenades made use of by the conspirators of the Rue Lepelletier, were of the most perfect and destructive character ever invented. They are very many times more powerful than those made use of in the Crimea, which at the time were claimed to be the most powerful in existence. One of the bombs used in the late attempt was found on the ground in front of the Grand Opera, and near it a revolver, and one was found, as already mentioned, on the person of Pierri. These have been examined by two of the best armors of Paris, Messrs. Devisme and Caron, and by several army officers. From the report of these gentlemen I am enabled to give a correct description of these terrible engines of destruction.

They are entirely new in their model. They are hollow, are made of turned steel, and filled with a powder that had not yet been tested at the moment of making the report, but which is supposed to be fulminating mercury, the most powerful of all explosive materials. To form an idea of these projectiles, imagine a cylinder 4 1-4 inches long by 2 1-4 diameter, and terminated at each of its extremities by a spherical cap or calotte. One of these calottes is armed with twenty-five chimneys, disposed divergently, adjusted with a screw, and covered each one with a fluted percussion cap similar to those in ordinary use for guns and pistols. The shock on these caps against the pavement conveys the fire to the interior of the bomb. The cylinder, for some reason not very clear, was covered with a light envelope resembling bronze.

In examining the calotte which covered the other extremity of the bomb, it was found that the envelope was formed of two parts, and that at about an inch from its extremity, a part of the cylinder could be removed, which acts by friction on the first. There is no doubt that the inventors of this terrible machine wished to avoid, in filling it, the direct screwing of the two parts one on the other, and the horrible explosion which might have resulted therefrom. So that, in all probability, the part of the cylinder filled with the fulminating powder is closed by means of a cover placed simply in a groove. The outside cap is then adjusted on this cover, and re-covers it, while a strong steel screw, the head of which is ⅜ of an inch in diameter, appears on the outside, presses on this last cover and closes the bomb hermetically.

An examination of pieces of the bursted bombs shows that in the part where the chimneys were placed, the cylinder had a thickness of ¼ of an inch. It is probable that the upper part on the contrary is very much thinner. This, indeed, would be necessary in order that the part which contains the chimneys and percussion caps, by being heaviest, should strike the pavement first, and thus determine the explosion.

The fearful effects produced by these bombs exclude the idea that their interior is filled with ordinary powder. The explosive matter is almost certainly *fulminate de mercure*, a substance, of which, the projectile force is at least fifty times more powerful than ordinary powder. It is this substance that is used to charge percussion caps, and its terrible power may be judged when we say that a pound of it suffices to charge 20,000 infantry caps.

It is probable that the effects of these bombs would have been more disastrous if there had been a larger proportion of metal to the powder, for a very considerable proportion of each bomb was blown into fine atoms like grains of sand. One girl who had two or three tolerably severe wounds, received in her dress more than a hundred fine particles that had not force enough to penetrate to the skin. The side of the Emperor's carriage has twenty-three holes and abrasions from the bomb that burst at the side. On the under surface of the *marquise*, on the front of the theatre, and on the houses opposite, you may count five hundred holes and abrasions. In a large pane of glass in the *cafe* [illegible], a considerable distance from the point of explosion, a small fragment has passed thro' leaving a round and clean orifice which is just large enough to admit a finger.

The public were evidently wrong in supposing that the bombs were charged with balls and nails. The noise from the explosions was perfectly terrific, in view of the size of the bombs, and there is every reason to believe that the amount of metal was badly proportioned to the enormous explosive force of the interior.

Your readers will recollect the plan that was laid for blowing up the imperial train with the Emperor, four years ago, at Lille, when it was expected that His Majesty, after breaking up the camp of Boulogne, would pass over the Belgian road to Brussels. In that case an iron cylinder was used, much similar to the present, but 12 by 7½ inches in diameter, turned like the present, filled with fulminating mercury, and disposed so as to be inflamed by an electric wire, fifty yards long. In both cases we see the same precautions in construction, the same precision, and it cannot be denied that they are the result of a scientific knowledge as profound as it is misapplied.

Two examples chosen from history will show the terrible power of the fulminate of mercury. Berzelius tells us that a man, in opening and shutting a small box of this material, was blown to pieces, and that the bones of the hand which held the box were found on the floor, broken, after having passed through a thick oak table! Hallen, a German chemist, was killed twenty years ago in his laboratory, by the explosion of less than a pound of this substance, and when his friends entered his chamber after the explosion, nothing was found but sheets of flesh plastered over the walls, and some spots of blood.

Messrs. Devisme and Caron have since opened one of the shells, and they found a powder which they still supposed to be fulminating mercury, but they were obliged to desist from a further examination, because M. Caron was seized with a violent bleeding from the nose, and M. Devisme was also seriously indisposed, from the effects of the volatilization of the explosive material.

The plan of the assassins is variously understood and reported. Just as the first bomb was thrown, a man in white gloves, standing conspicuously on the steps of the Opera, raised his hat high in the air, and shouted, "*Vive l'Empereur!*" This man is believed to have been Orsini, who thus gave the word of command. All the principal prisoners had wrappers around their throats, (*caches-nez*,) all precisely similar. It is believed that each one, as he threw a bomb, at the same time agitated his hat in the air, cheering his Majesty. Pierri had a ticket for the Opera in his pocket, which has given rise to the supposition that he had accomplices inside the Theatre. The fact that each carried revolvers and poignards, seems to prove that if the attempt failed on the outside, it was to be accomplished within. Soon after the detonations, two distinct whistles were heard in the theatre, a sign no doubt which served to restrain the conspirators inside. On account of Mme. Ristori's appearance, a large portion of the audience were Italian, and it was impossible to attempt any arrests. Any practicable plan for a disturbance within the theatre must have involved the most desperate possibilities, extending over hundreds of lives. It is believed that Pierri had the control of the internal programme, Orsini of the external. Fortunately for the Emperor and Empress, no doubt, and for the audience, Pierri was arrested before he had time to take command of his part of the programme. As the Emperor's carriage passed along the Boulevards, and subsequently, during the passage of some of the carriages of the public functionaries who were hurrying to the Opera, hisses and menacing threats were heard from the crowds on the pavements, a circumstance that permits the belief that if the attempt had been successful, the work of blood in the streets would have commenced immediately.

Much surprise is expressed at the wonderful escape of the Emperor. The second bomb, which exploded in a position otherwise dangerous to their Majesties, fortunately was covered in a great measure by one of the horses of the carriage, which received a large portion of the charge and fell dead. The coachman of the imperial carriage was wounded in the hand, and of the three lacqueys who stood up behind, the two outside ones were severely wounded, while the middle one escaped. Herbert, the policeman, Lanet, Commissary of Police, and Alessandri, the Corsican, were all three seriously wounded while rushing towards the Emperor's carriage, by the last explosion. Herbert has sixteen wounds; Lanet, perhaps as many. It is difficult to understand how their Majesties escaped. The two other bombs that are known to have been on the ground, if thrown after his Majesty's descent from the carriage, (which was perhaps a part of the programme), would inevitably have accomplished the design of the conspirators.

A lawyer, M. Bassetti, had his life preserved by a circumstance which he was far from believing would prove so agreeable to himself. He had secured a good place in the front rank of the crowd to see the arrival of the *cortege*, when, just before the explosion, a woman crowded in front of him, and received in the abdomen a fragment of a bomb. This woman is the one who died at the Hospital Lariboisere. Another woman was saved by her enormous expanse of crinoline. The force of the projectile was spent before reaching her thigh, and the wound is not serious. The largest proportion of badly wounded persons is naturally among the police and soldiery. The lancers of the Imperial Guard have twelve men struck, two perhaps mortally. The Municipal Guard have twelve men struck, one now dead, and five severely wounded. The police number thirty wounded, of whom fifteen were of the secret police, the rest were *sergents de ville*, one commissary, and one divisional inspector, or chief of the secret police. Five horses were killed on the ground, five more were severely wounded, and twenty horses of the lancers alone were wounded. The Emperor's second horse had to be shot.

The pistol found on the ground in the front of the opera beside a bomb, has been recognized by a Paris gunsmith as having been sold lately to an Italian. When placed in the presence of the prisoners the gunsmith immediately recognized the man by whom it was bought. It is surmised that there were not less than twenty armed men engaged in the execution of the plot at the opera-house, and that but for the arrest of Pierri, the affair would have terminated much more disastrously than it did.

It is proved beyond dispute that the bombs were thrown from the crowd, and not from the windows opposite, as it was at first believed. The persons arrested in those houses on this supposition were subsequently set at liberty.

On the descent of their Majesties from the carriage, a squadron of Lancers formed a double line with presented arms, through which their Majesties passed into the theatre, as usual. These men received their order to stand in this position before the arrival of the *cortege*, and of course dare not move their position until they received a counter order. In the confusion the officer forgot to relieve his men till fifteen minutes after their Majesties had passed into the theatre. "Is there any one of you wounded?" said the officer, when he came to relieve them. "I am," said a Lancer, carrying his hand up to his schako, and then fainted. A few hours afterwards he was dead. The poor fellow literally died like a hero, under arms, true to his orders.

During the performance in the theatre the persons in the imperial box were seen several times in the course of the evening examining fragments of the bombs which were brought to them. One of these the Empress put in her pocket.

It is said that at the moment the Emperor's hat was pierced, he was leaning forward to hear what General Roguet was saying, the noise in the street almost drowning the Aid-de-Camp's voice.

The morning after the attempt the Emperor was on the ground on horseback at daylight. From there he rode to the civil hospital Lariboisière, to see the wounded; and from there to the military hospital at Gros-Caillou, to which were carried the wounded soldiers. Both their Majesties have since visited the wounded at the latter hospital, and to the principal persons wounded in the city, the Emperor has sent his surgeon, the Baron LARREY. Their Majesties defray all the expenses incurred by the wounded out of their private purse, and bestow upon all of them—and especially upon the poorer families—every possible attention. All the wounded officers and soldiers have either been promoted or decorated with the Legion of Honor.

The night after the attempt the whole city was illuminated. The public bodies and private citizens hurried to the Tuileries to present their felicitations to his Majesty, or to inscribe their names on the book, and a real joy seemed to prevail at the miraculous failure of the attempted crime. The journals, with one voice, deprecated the monstrous deed, and telegraphic dispatches from all parts of Europe, show that everywhere it is viewed with horror and consternation. All the monarchs have sent autograph letters of congratulation. The market women in Paris, those leaders in times of trouble, carried up to the Palace an enthusiastic address of sympathy, signed by fifteen thousand names. All the Press, and all France, as you will see, rejoices that the contrivers of this crime are foreigners. Both the programme and the bombs, it is believed, came from Birmingham, in England.

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Chicago, February 5, 1858.—feb-td-k24

PUBLICATION NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COOK COUNTY—ss.
Cook County Circuit Court, March Term, A. D. 1858.
Frederick Olson vs. Ole Peterson.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the said Ole Peterson, that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Cook County Circuit Court, dated the 14th day of January, A. D. 1858, at the suit of the said Frederick Olson, against the estate of the said Ole Peterson, for the sum of one hundred and [illegible] dollars, directed to the Sheriff of Cook county, which said writ has been returned executed. Now, therefore, unless you, the said Ole Peterson, shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Circuit Court, on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the city of Chicago on the first Monday of March, A. D. 1858, give special bail and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of the said Frederick Olson, and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs will be sold to satisfy the same.

WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.

A. LARNED, Pl'ffs Att'y.—jy15-4w-j31

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS—COOK COUNTY—ss.
Circuit Court of Cook County, March Term, A.D. 1858.
Orasmus S. Hough vs. Charles J. Kershaw, Charles J. Cusack and Horace D. Hawkins.—In Chancery.

AFFIDAVIT OF THE NON-RESIDENCE of Charles J. Cusack and Horace D. Hawkins, defendants above named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Cook County, notice is hereby given to the said Charles J. Cusack and Horace D. Hawkins, that Orasmus S. Hough, complainant, filed his bill of complaint in said Court, on the Chancery side thereof, on the [illegible] day of January, 1858, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against said defendants, returnable on the first Monday of March next, 1858, as is by law required. Now, unless you, the said Charles J. Cusack and Horace D. Hawkins, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court of Cook County on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at Chicago, in said county, on the first Monday of March next, 1858, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

WILLIAM L. CHURCH, Clerk.

G. S. Hubbard, Compl't's Sol'r.—ja22-4w-j73

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS—COUNTY OF COOK—ss.
Circuit Court of Cook County, March Term, 1858.
Andrew Miller vs. Margaret Miller.—In Chancery.

AFFIDAVIT OF THE NON-RESIDENCE of Margaret Miller, defendant above named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Cook County, notice is hereby given to the said Margaret Miller, that Andrew Miller, the complainant, filed his bill of complaint in said Court, on the Chancery side thereof, on the 20th day of January 1858, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against said defendant, returnable on the first Monday of March next, 1858, as is by law required. Now, unless you, the said Margaret Miller, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court of Cook County, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at Chicago, in said county, on the first Monday of March, 1858, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.

ISAAC CHAPLIN, Compl't's Sol'r. ja21-4w j93

PUBLICATION NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COOK COUNTY—ss.
Cook County Circuit Court, March Term, A. D. 1858.
Peter J. Winje vs. Ole Peterson.—Attachment.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the said Ole Peterson, that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Cook County Circuit Court, dated the 12th day of January, A. D. 1858, at the suit of the said Peter J. Winje, and against the estate of the said Ole Peterson, for the sum of one hundred and ten [illegible] dollars, directed to the Sheriff of Cook County, which said writ has been returned executed. Now, therefore, unless you, the said Ole Peterson, shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Circuit Court, on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the City of Chicago, on the first Monday of March, A. D. 1858, give special bail, and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you, and in favor of the said Peter J. Winje, and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs will be sold to satisfy the same.

WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.

A. LARNED, Pl'ffs Att'y.—ja16-4w-j25

PUBLICATION NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COOK COUNTY.—ss.
Cook County Circuit Court, January Special Term, A. D. 1858.
Augustus C. Shelton and Byron Tuttle vs. John O. Butler.—Attachment.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the said John O. Butler, that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Cook County Circuit Court, dated the 31st day of December, A. D. 1857, at the suit of the said Augustus C. Shelton and Byron Tuttle, and against the estate of the said John O. Butler, for the sum of three hundred and seventy-four dollars, directed to the Sheriff of Cook County, which said writ has been returned executed. Now, therefore, unless you, the said John O. Butler, shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Circuit Court, on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the city of Chicago, on the first Monday of March, A. D. 1858, give special bail and plead to the said plaintiffs' action, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of the said Augustus C. Shelton and Byron Tuttle, and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.

WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.

BENTLEY & SEATON, Pl'ffs Att'y.—ja16-4w j26

PUBLICATION NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COOK COUNTY.—ss.
Cook County Circuit Court, March Term, A. D. 1858.
Artemas Carter vs. Frank Vail and John Chappell.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the said Frank Vail and John Chappell, that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Cook County Circuit Court, dated the 16th day of December, A. D. 1857, at the suit of the said Artemas Carter, and against the estate of the said Frank Vail and John Chappell, for the sum of five hundred dollars, directed to the Sheriff of Cook county, which said writ has been returned executed. Now, therefore, unless you, the said Frank Vail and John Chappell, shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Circuit Court, on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House, in the City of Chicago, on the first Monday of March, A. D. 1858, give special bail, and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of the said Artemas Carter, and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.

WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.

ARNOLD, LARNED & LAY, Pl'ffs Att'ys. ja12-4w-j8

PUBLICATION NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COOK COUNTY.—ss.
Cook County Circuit Court, March Term, A. D. 1858.
Joseph T. Ryerson vs. Dubuque & Pacific Railroad Company.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the said Dubuque & Pacific Railroad Company, that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Cook County Circuit Court, dated the 31st day of November, A. D. 1857, at the suit of the said Joseph T. Ryerson and against the estate of the said Dubuque & Pacific Railroad Company, for the sum of one thousand ninety-eight [illegible] dollars, directed to the sheriff of Cook county, which said writ has been returned executed. Now, therefore, unless you, the said Dubuque & Pacific Railroad Company, shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Circuit Court on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the city of Chicago on the first Monday of March, A. D. 1858, give special bail and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of the said Joseph T. Ryerson, and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.

WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.

ARNOLD, LARNED & LAY, Pl'ffs Att'ys.—ja12-4w-j21

PUBLICATION NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COOK COUNTY.—ss.
Cook County Court of Common Pleas, January Term, A.D. 1858.
William F. Dutcher, Robert Stickney and Chauncey Stickney, vs. Elisha Mix and William F. Morgan.—Attachment.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO the said Elisha Mix and William F. Morgan, that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of Cook County Court of Common Pleas, dated the 14th day of December, A.D. 1857, at the suit of the said William F. Dutcher, Robert Stickney and Chauncey Stickney, against the estate of the said Elisha Mix and William F. Morgan, for the sum of one thousand dollars, directed to the Sheriff of Cook County, which said writ has been returned executed. Now, therefore, unless you, the said Elisha Mix and William F. Morgan, shall personally be and appear before said Cook County Court of Common Pleas, on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the City of Chicago, on the first Monday of February, A. D. 1858, give special bail, and plead to the said plaintiffs' action, judgment will be entered against you, and in favor of the said William F. Dutcher, Robert Stickney and Chauncey Stickney, and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs will be sold to satisfy the same.

WALTER KIMBALL, Clerk.

CORNELL, WAITE & JAMIESON, Pl'ffs Att'y. ja14-4w-j55

Master's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Cook County, } ss. { Circuit Court of Cook County.
Office of Master in Chancery, Chicago, January 27, 1858.
William A. Ingles vs. James E. Lyon, Rufus P. Burlingame and James M. [illegible].—Foreclosure of Mortgage.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I, L. C. Paine Freer, Master in Chancery of Cook county, Illinois, will, in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause on the 18th day of January, A. D. 1858, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the north door of the Court House in the city of Chicago, on the 18th day of February, A. D. 1858, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, all the following described parcel of real estate, situate in the county of Cook and State of Illinois, known and designated as all of the south half of Lots five (5) and six (6), in Block eighteen (18), in [illegible] Addition to the town of Chicago.

Chicago, January [illegible], 1858.

L. C. PAINE FREER, Master in Chancery Cook County.

ja28-td-j96

PUBLICATION NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS—COOK COUNTY—ss.
Cook County Court of Common Pleas, January Term, A.D. 1858.
Marcellus B. Smith, John K. Pollard and A. Judson Smith, vs. Jeremiah M. Russell.—Attachment.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the said Jeremiah M. Russell, that two writs of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of Cook County Court of Common Pleas, dated the 18th day of December, A. D. 1857, at the suit of the said Marcellus B. Smith, John K. Pollard and A. Judson Smith, against the estate of the said Jeremiah M. Russell, for the sum of three hundred and twenty-eight dollars and five cents, directed to the Sheriff of Cook and Ogle Counties, which said writ have been returned executed. Now therefore unless you, the said Jeremiah M. Russell, shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Court of Common Pleas, on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the City of Chicago on the first Monday of February, A.D. 1858, give special bail, and plead to the said plaintiffs' action, judgment will be entered against you, and in favor of the said Marcellus B. Smith, John K. Pollard and A. Judson Smith, and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs will be sold to satisfy the same.

WALTER KIMBALL, Clerk.

GALLUP & HITCHCOCK, Pl'ffs Att'y. ja18-4w-j8

Master's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Cook County—ss.
Circuit Court of Cook County, In Chancery.
Conrad Hoffmeyer, by Henry Rosenberg, his guardian, vs. Wilhelmina E. Ahlvers, Henry W. Ahlvers, Henry F. Ahlvers, Frederick Ahlvers, Ferdinand Langenbeck, and Hannah Langenbeck.—For Partition.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause, I, L. C. Paine Freer, Master in Chancery of Cook County, State of Illinois, will on the third day of March, A. D. 1858, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the north door of the Court House in the city of Chicago, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, the north-east quarter of the north-east quarter of Section thirty-one (31), and the north-west quarter of the north-west quarter of Section thirty-two (32), in Township number forty (40), north of Range twelve (12), east of the Third Principal Meridian, in the County of Cook, and State of Illinois. Terms of sale, will be one-fourth cash on the day of sale, and the remaining three-fourths in three equal annual installments, payable in one, two and three years from the day of sale, with interest at six per cent. per annum, payable annually; deferred installments to be secured by notes and mortgage on the premises sold.

L. C. PAINE FREER, Master in Chancery, Cook County, Ill.

Chicago, January 6, 1858.—ja8-td-j56

Legal Notices.

TRUSTEES' SALE.

WHEREAS FREDERICK HARDING and Jennie Harding, his wife, did, on the thirty-first day of October, eighteen hundred and fifty-six, execute and deliver to us, the undersigned, a certain Trust Deed, to secure the payment of five certain promissory notes, of the date aforesaid, and each due and payable in three months after the date thereof, one being for the sum of five hundred dollars, and four for the sum of one thousand dollars each, all bearing interest (after due) at the rate of ten per cent. per annum, value received, which said Deed of Trust was filed for record in the Recorder's office of Cook county, State of Illinois, on the thirty-first day of October, A. D. 1856, and duly recorded in said office in Book No. 119 of Deeds, page 287. Now, default having been made in the payment of each and all of said notes and interest, and the legal holders of said notes having made application to the undersigned (Trustees mentioned and declared in the Trust Deed aforesaid) to sell the land and premises in said Deed of Trust mentioned and described. Now, therefore, public notice is hereby given that, by virtue of the power and authority in said Deed of Trust contained, we shall, on the seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1858, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the north door of the Court House in the city of Chicago, in the county of Cook and State of Illinois, sell the premises in the said Deed of Trust mentioned, the same being in the county of Cook and State of Illinois, and described as follows, to wit: Lot number eight and fourteen, in the subdivision of the southwest quarter of Section No. twelve, in Township No. thirty-nine, north of Range No. thirteen, east of the Third Principal Meridian; said Lot eight being and containing twelve and 61-100 acres, more or less, and said lot fourteen being and containing three and 75-100 acres, more or less, as shown by subdivision filed for record in the Recorder's office of Cook county May 22d, 1856, and all the right, title and equity of redemption of the said Frederick Harding and Jennie Harding, his wife, their heirs, executors, administrators and assigns therein, said sale being at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, for cash.

Chicago, February 5th, A. D. 1858.

JOHN H. THOMPSON, } Trustees.
MELVILLE W. FULLER, }

BENJ. F. JAMES, Att'y, 16 Lasalle st.—feb-td-k27

MORTGAGE SALE.

WHEREAS JOHN ROBERT THOMPSON, of the city of Springfield and State of Illinois, did, on the tenth day of November, A. D. eighteen hundred and fifty-six, make, execute and deliver to Benjamin Blossom, a mortgage of the premises hereinafter described, to secure the payment of three promissory notes, of even date with said mortgage, payable to the order of the said Benjamin Blossom, as follows: Eight hundred and forty-eight dollars, in one year from date thereof aforesaid; eight hundred and ninety-six dollars, in two years from the date aforesaid; and nine hundred and forty-four dollars, in three years from the date aforesaid; which said mortgage is recorded in the Recorder's office in and for the county of Logan and State of Illinois, in Book C of Mortgages, pages 68, 69 and 70. And whereas it is provided in and by said mortgage, that if default be made in the payment of said promissory notes, or either of them, either of principal or of interest, on the days, months or years whereon the same shall become due and payable, the whole of said principal and interest secured by the said promissory notes in said mortgage mentioned, shall thereupon become immediately due and payable, and that the said Benjamin Blossom, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, after publishing a notice of the sale of the premises in said mortgage mentioned, in a newspaper published in the city of Chicago, State of Illinois, ten days prior to the day of sale of the premises in said mortgage mentioned, might sell the said premises in said mortgage described, at public auction, at the Court House door in said city of Chicago, to the highest and best bidder, for cash at the time mentioned in said notice of sale. And whereas default has been made in the payment of the first of said promissory notes above mentioned, due on the tenth day of November, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, for the sum of eight hundred and forty-eight dollars. Now, therefore, public notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, by virtue of the power given in the said mortgage, will on Saturday, the seventeenth day of February, 1858, at 10 o'clock A. M., sell at public auction, at the North door of the Court House in the city of Chicago, Illinois, to the highest bidder, for cash, the real estate in said mortgage mentioned, lying and being in the county of Logan and State of Illinois, to wit: The north-east quarter of section twenty-three, Township twenty, north of Range three, west of Third Principal Meridian, for the purposes in said mortgage described.

BENJAMIN BLOSSOM.

B. F. JAMES, Att'y 16 Lasalle st., Chicago, Ill.

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Publication Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
Cook County, }
Cook County Circuit Court, March Term, A.D. 1858.
Platt Adams, Assignee of John Thomson, vs. The Breckenridge Cannel Coal Company.—Attachment.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the said Breckenridge Cannel Coal Company, that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Cook County Circuit Court, dated the 15th day of January, A. D. 1858, at the suit of the said Platt Adams, and against the estate of the said Breckenridge Cannel Coal Company, for the sum of five thousand dollars, directed to the Sheriff of Cook county, which said writ has been returned executed. Now, therefore, unless you, the said Breckenridge Cannel Coal Company, shall personally be and appear before the said Cook County Circuit Court, on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the city of Chicago on the first Monday of March, A. D. 1858, give special bail, and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of the said Platt Adams, Assignee, &c., and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.

WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.

FAIRFIELD, BEVERIDGE & LUMBARD, Pl'ffs Att'y.

ja29-4w-j91

MASTER'S SALE.

Cook County Court of Common Pleas, } In Chancery.
Office of Master in Chancery.
Edwin R. Tuttle vs. Luther L. Mills, Walter N. Mills, Matthew Laflin, Solomon A. Smith and Royal L. B. Mills.—Foreclosure.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, in pursuance of a decretal order entered by the above entitled cause, and upon the order, &c., filed therein, on the 28th day of November, A. D. 1857, I, L. C. Paine Freer, Master in Chancery of Cook county, State of Illinois, will, on the 18th day of February, A. D. 1858, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the north door of the Court House in the city of Chicago, sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at public vendue, Lot No. twenty-one (21), in Block No. eight (8), in Fort Dearborn Addition to Chicago; also Block No. twelve (12), in the School Section Addition to Chicago—all in the county of Cook and State of Illinois.

L. C. PAINE FREER, Master in Chancery Cook County.

Chicago, Jan. 25, 1858.—de24-td-j23

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS ISAAC SHELBY, JR., DID, on the thirtieth day of May, execute and deliver to me, the undersigned, a certain Deed of Trust, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note made by the said Isaac Shelby, Jr., bearing date the day and year aforesaid, for the sum of nine thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight [illegible] dollars, payable to William Dudley Dillard, and due on the second day of January, A. D. 1858, for value received, which said Deed of Trust was filed for record in the Recorder's office of Cook county, in the State of Illinois, on the thirtieth day of May, A. D. 1857, and duly recorded in said office in Book 136 of Deeds, page 360; and default having been made in the payment of the said note, and the said William Dudley Dillard, the legal holder of the said note, having applied to me, the undersigned, to sell the land and premises in said Deed of Trust mentioned and described. Now, therefore, public notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power and authority in said Deed of Trust contained, I shall, on the third day of March, A. D. 1858, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the north door of the Court House in the city of Chicago, in the county of Cook and State of Illinois, sell the premises in the said Deed of Trust mentioned and described, situate in the city of Chicago, county of Cook and State of Illinois, to wit: The west half (½) of Lots three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6) and seven (7), Lots eighteen (18), nineteen (19), and east half of Lot twenty (20), of Hayes and Shelby's subdivision of Block thirty (30) of Carpenter's Addition, and all right and equity of redemption of the said Isaac Shelby, Jr., his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns therein, at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash.

B. F. BLACKBURN, Trustee.

Chicago, Jan. 28, 1858.—ja29-td-j99

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WATER LOTS ON SOUTH BRANCH, near Joy's Ice House. 200 feet good Dock, feet deep, and 120 feet rear front.

ALSO,

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ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAIL ROAD.
LANDS FOR SALE.

THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD Company invites the attention of Agriculturists and Farmers to the fertile lands adjacent to their road, which are offered for sale upon low terms, and long credit at low rates of interest.

It is the policy and wish of the Company to sell all their lands to actual settlers; and no inducement is offered to speculators; in fact none will be sold on long credit, without the distinct obligation of cultivation. [illegible]

For information as to price, terms, etc., apply to JOHN WILSON, Land Com'r I. C. R. R. Co., Chicago, Ill.

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PROF. HASKELL'S
ELECTRIC OIL.

A POSITIVE AND SPEEDY CURE FOR

Rheumatism and Neuralgia,

DEAFNESS, ERYSIPELAS,

Scrofula, Bronchitis, Tetter, Ringworm and SCALD HEAD,

NERVOUS AND SICK HEAD-ACHES,

CURED IN FROM 5 TO 20 MINUTES!

CORNS, PILES, TOOTH-ACHE, CHRONIC Stiff Joints, Sprains or Lameness in Man or Beast, all Sores, Freckles and Humors, Cramps and Colic, and Pains of every description,

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Prices 50c, $1 and $2 per Bottle.

It is the only REAL HAIR INVIGORATOR that will make the hair grow when everything else fails; clean the head white and free from Dandruff in less than ten minutes, and make it a shiny, glossy jet.

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Is perfectly harmless—no burning or blistering sensations, as with other Lotions and Liniments—it is pleasant to take it—it conquers fire! soothing and healing a severe Burn or Scald in less than five minutes! This Oil operates on the principles of Electricity; thousands of miraculous cures have been performed by it all over the land. Use everything else, then give this Oil one trial, and you will be convinced. Indigent persons, unable to purchase a bottle, shall have it FREE.

Friend, suffer no longer. Send for a bottle of HASKELL'S ELECTRIC OIL. Consultation and advice given gratis at the depot, No. 63 Pine st.

Persons severely afflicted with Acute Rheumatism or Contraction of the Muscles, should try the ELECTROPEDEAN BATH. Be particular about the directions accompanying each bottle. No peddlers sell this Medicine. Only respectable Druggists and Country Merchants are Agents who have a large lithograph and certificate signed by the proprietor.

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Every bottle has "Professor Haskell's Electric Oil" blown on the side and edges of the glass, and the envelop has his portrait and signature, to counterfeit which is Forgery!

Wholesale and Retail Depot,

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TERMS, CASH—$4, $8 or $16 per dozen. It is elegantly put up, securely packed, and a variety of superb Lithographs, Fine Bills, &c., furnished gratuitously. Send in your orders; you will find it cures and pays.

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HAVE ON HAND, AT ALL TIMES, EVERY style and finish, Wood, Lead, and Zinc Coffins; also shrouds. And are prepared with Hearses and Carriages, and every thing requisite for Funerals; and may be found on hand, and ready to give prompt attention to their business at all hours. They also have a Chapel and Vault in the Cemetery.

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PICKLES AND CATSUPS—THE MOST complete assortment in Chicago, for sale, wholesale and retail, at the Boston Store. J. Q. HOYT & CO.

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THERMOMETERS.—GREAT VARIETY, just received. FENTON, FISHER & CO., Druggists, 94 Lake st., cor. Dearborn.

MENEELEY BELLS.—CHURCH, FACTORY and School House Bells, on hand at the Wealth Agency, 55 Lake street. R. W. RAYMOND & SON

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, default having been made in the payment of a certain promissory note made by Edward Martin and Daniel Allston & Co., secured (among others) in and by a certain Deed of Trust, made and executed by Edward Martin and wife, dated August eleventh, A. D. 1856, to the undersigned, Grant Goodrich, recorded in the Recorder's office of Cook county, in the State of Illinois, in Book ninety-seven of Deeds, at page two hundred and fifty-nine, to secure said note in said Deed of Trust (among others) mentioned, I shall (proper application having been made to me) on the 9th day of February, A. D. 1858, at the north door of the Court House in Cook county, Illinois, at ten o'clock A. M., sell at public auction, for cash, the following described premises, mentioned in said Deed of Trust, to satisfy said note: Lot 2, in the subdivision of the west half of northwest quarter Section 22, Township 40, north of Range 14, east of Third Principal Meridian, containing 15 acres, more or less, situate in said county of Cook, and State of Illinois, together with all right and equity of redemption of the said Edward Martin therein, in pursuance of the power of sale contained in said Deed of Trust.

GRANT GOODRICH, Trustee.

Dated January 12th, 1858.—ja13-30d-j9

Railroads.

Going East.

Mich. Southern & Nor. Ind. R. R.

1857.........WINTER ARRANGEMENT.........1858

TRAINS LEAVE CHICAGO, AS FOLLOWS, viz:

6 A. M. & 8:45 P. M.—For Cleveland, Cincinnati, Pittsburg, Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore, Buffalo, Albany, Boston and New York, and intermediate places.

3 P. M.—LA PORTE ACCOMMODATION.

One train on Sunday, at 8:45 P. M.

Through tickets for sale at the Depot, and the office under the Tremont House.

G. M. GRAY, Gen. Western Ag't.

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VIA MICHIGAN CENTRAL

And Great Western Railway.

TRAINS LEAVE MICHIGAN CENTRAL Depot, Chicago:

6:00 A. M.—NEW YORK EXPRESS. Arrive at Detroit 7:20 P. M.; Suspension Bridge or Buffalo 5:45 A. M.; Albany 5:30 P. M.; New York 10 at night; Philadelphia 11:30 P. M.

7:35 A. M.—CINCINNATI EXPRESS. Arrive at Cincinnati at 12 at night.

8:45 P. M.—NEW YORK AND BOSTON EXPRESS. Arrive at Detroit 10:15 A. M.; Suspension Bridge or Buffalo 10:30 P. M.; New York 4:40 P. M.; Boston 12 at night.

8:45 P. M.—CINCINNATI EXPRESS. Arrive at Cincinnati 1 P. M.; Louisville 4 P. M.

Only one train on Sunday at 8:45 P. M. The 6 A. M. and 8:45 P. M. trains connect at Paris with the Buffalo & Lake Huron Railway, for Buffalo and all points east; at Toronto with Grand Trunk Railway, to Kingston, Ogdensburg, Montreal, Quebec and all points in Canada East, Northern Vermont, New Hampshire and Maine.

Baggage checked through.

Through tickets for sale at the principal R. Road offices in the West, and at the general office, corner Lake & Dearborn streets, opposite the Tremont House, Chicago, and at the Depot, foot of Lake street.

R. N. RICE, Sup't.

H. J. SPALDING, Gen. Pass. Ag't.

Pennsylvania Railroad.

THE GREAT CENTRAL ROUTE, CONNECTING the Atlantic cities with Western, Northwestern, and Southwestern States, by a continuous Railway direct. This road also connects at Pittsburg with a daily line of steamers to all ports on the Western Rivers, and at Cleveland and Sandusky with steamers to all ports on the Northwestern Lakes, making the most direct, cheapest and reliable route by which Freight can be forwarded to and from the Great West.

RATES BETWEEN PHILADELPHIA AND PITTSBURG.

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In shipping goods from any point east of Philadelphia, be particular to mark packages "via Pennsylvania Railroad." All goods consigned to the agents of this road at Philadelphia or Pittsburg, will be forwarded without detention.

FREIGHT AGENTS.—Clarke & Co., Chicago; Parker & Co., Memphis, Tenn.; R. F. Sass & Co., St. Louis, Mo.; P. G. O'Riley & Co., Evansville, Ind.; Wm. Bingham, Louisville, Ky.; H. C. Meldrum, Madison, Ind.; H. W. Brown & Co., and Irwin & Co., Cincinnati; R. S. Pierce & Co., Zanesville, Ohio; Leech & Co., No. 54 Kilby st., Boston; Leech & Co., No. 2 Astor House, and No. 1 William street, New York; E. J. Sneeder, Philadelphia; Magraw & Koons, Baltimore; D. A. Stewart, Pittsburg.

H. H. HOUSTON, General Freight Agent.

H. J. LOMBAERT, Sup't, Altoona, Pa.

May 1, 1857.

Pennsylvania Central Railroad.

THREE DAILY TRAINS FROM PITTSBURG TO PHILADELPHIA.

Trains leave Pittsburg as follows: Mail, 7 A. M.; Fast Line, 3 P. M.; Express Mail, 9 P. M.

The Express Mail runs daily; the other two Sundays excepted. Making DIRECT CONNECTIONS with all trains from St. Louis, Mo.; Dubuque, Keokuk and Iowa City, Iowa; Cairo, Rock Island and Chicago, Illinois; Lexington and Louisville, Ky.; Terre Haute, Indianapolis and Lafayette, Indiana; Cincinnati, Columbus, Dayton, Toledo, Cleveland, Zanesville, Crestline, Mansfield and Wooster, Ohio. Also, Kansas, Nebraska, Minnesota.

AND ALL POINTS IN THE WEST.

Fare as Low as by any other Route.

Passengers from the West can rely upon this as being the shortest and most expeditious route to PHILADELPHIA, BALTIMORE, NEW YORK, and all Eastern Cities.

THOS. MOORE, Agent, Passenger Lines, Pennsylvania R. R., Phila.

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Reduced Rates.

PITTSBURG, FT. WAYNE & CHICAGO R. R. LINE.—On and after January 1, 1858, and until further notice, the rates via above line will be:

FROM CHICAGO TO

	1st class, ₩ 100.	2d class, ₩ 100.	3d class, ₩ 100.	4th class, ₩ 100.	Flour, ₩ bbl.
New York	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Boston	[illegible]	1 60	1 40	[illegible]	1 65
Philadelphia and Baltimore	1 80	1 45	1 25	[illegible]	1 50
Pittsburg	1 00	75	65	[illegible]	75
Cincinnati	[illegible]	[illegible]	70	[illegible]	[illegible]

Dressed Hogs, by car load, at owner's risk, pre-paid—To New York, $1.00 ₩ 100 lbs; to all other points, Second Class rates.

Offices, corner of Dearborn and Randolph streets, and at the Depot, West Twelfth street.

JAMES W. MUSSON, Freight Agent

Pittsburg, Fort Wayne & Chicago RAILROAD.

THIS NEW AND DIRECT ROUTE, NOW open to New York, Boston, Pittsburg, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington City, Cleveland, Dunkirk, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, [illegible] Columbus, Dayton, Springfield, Urbana, Zanesville, Steubenville, Newark and Wheeling, and all the interior towns of Ohio, Pennsylvania, Virginia, Maryland, New Jersey, &c., &c.

Making One Grand, Unbroken Railroad Line

BETWEEN CHICAGO AND THE EAST.

Fare as Low as Any Other Route.

TRAINS LEAVE DEPOT, ON VAN BUREN STREET, DAILY, AS FOLLOWS:

6:00, A. M. Sundays excepted. | **8:45, P. M.** Saturdays excepted.

With but one Change of Cars to Pittsburgh.

Checking Baggage Through

To Pittsburgh, Philadelphia, Baltimore and New York, connecting directly with trains on the Great Pennsylvania Central Railroad, to all Eastern Cities. Also with Cleveland & Columbus Railroad to Cleveland, Dunkirk, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, via New York Central and New York and Erie Railroads, to New York and Boston.

Persons going East will find this route by far the most desirable, both from the advantages in point of distance, variety and beauty of the country through which the Roads pass as well as the less frequent changes of cars, and the annoyance of re-checking baggage, required by other routes.

Facilities for the transportation of Freight and Live Stock by this route, are unsurpassed. Rates as low as by any other route, and with equal dispatch.

Tickets for sale at all the principal Ticket Offices in the West, and at the Company's office, No. — Dearborn street, opposite Matteson House, or at the Jervis House; Office [illegible] opposite depot, on Van Buren street, Chicago.

JOHN J. HOUSTON, Gen'l Freight and Passenger Agent, Pittsburgh.

D. W. ROSS, Gen'l Western Agent, Chicago.

JAMES W. MUSSON, Freight Agent, Chicago. de19

Going West.

Chicago & Rock Island R. R. Line.

Composed of the Chicago & Rock Island and Mississippi & Missouri Railroads.

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FOR IOWA, KANSAS AND NEBRASKA.

No change of Cars between Chicago and Iowa City.

ONLY DIRECT ROUTE FROM CHICAGO to Joliet, La Salle, Peru, Peoria, Rock Island, Davenport, Muscatine, Iowa City, Columbus City, and Fort des Moines.

TWO PASSENGER TRAINS LEAVE CHICAGO DAILY, from Depot corner Van Buren and Sherman sts., as follows:

9.00 A. M.—Day Express, (Sundays Excepted.)—For Joliet, La Salle, Peoria, Rock Island, Davenport, Muscatine, Iowa City and Columbus City.

8.30 P. M.—Night Express, (Saturdays excepted.)—For Peoria, Rock Island, Davenport, Muscatine, Iowa City and Columbus City.

The 9:00 A. M., and 8:30 P. M. Trains run directly through to Iowa City without change of cars and connect with the Western Stage Co's Line of Post Coaches for Fort des Moines, Council Bluffs and all points in Central and Western Iowa, Kansas and Nebraska.

Trains arrive at Chicago at 5 A M and 7 P M.

Local and Through Tickets via this line, on sale at the Depot, also at the office of Fort Wayne & Chicago R. R., corner Dearborn & Randolph streets, and at Michigan Southern Railroad Office, under Tremont House.

J. F. TRACY, Sup't.

W. L. ST. JOHN, Gen. Ticket Agent. a117

Great Western Mail Route.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

ON AND AFTER WEDNESDAY, JAN'Y 4, 1858, Passenger Trains will leave Wells Street Depot, daily (Sundays excepted) as follows:

Galena and Chicago Union Railroad.

MAIN LINE.

FOR FREEPORT, GALENA, DUNLEITH & ST. PAUL.

Passenger & Mail........10.00 A.M
Passenger........7.15 P.M.

CHICAGO FULTON AND IOWA LINE.

FOR DIXON, FULTON AND CENTRAL IOWA.

Through Passenger........[illegible]
DeKalb and Elgin Passenger........4.00 P.M.

BELOIT AND MADISON BRANCH.

Passenger........9.45 A.M.
Passenger........7.15 P.M.

FOX RIVER VALLEY RAIL ROAD.

FOR CRYSTAL LAKE, M'HENRY, RICHMOND AND GENEVA LAKE.

Passenger........10.00 A.M.

Two Through Trains will leave Union Depot, foot of Lake street, as follows:

FOR GALENA, DUNLEITH AND ST. PAUL.

Daily (Sundays excepted)........9.45 P.M. and 7.00 A.M.

Enabling Passengers to make a close connection with the Michigan Central Trains.

TRAINS EASTWARD.

GALENA AND CHICAGO UNION RAILROAD.

Leave Dunleith at 6.00 A.M., arrive in Chicago at........4.50 P.M.
" " at 5.00 P.M., " "........4.00 A.M.

CHICAGO, FULTON AND IOWA LINE.

Leave Fulton 3.00 A.M., arrive in Chicago........12.30 P.M.
" DeKalb at 6.30 " " "........[illegible]

BELOIT AND MADISON BRANCH.

Leave Freeport 9.40 A.M., arrive in Chicago........4.00 P.M.
" " 9.40 P.M., " "........4.00 P.M.

FOX RIVER VALLEY RAILROAD.

Leave Elgin at 1.30 P.M. Arrive in Chicago........4.00 P.M.

Passengers for all points on the G. & C. U. R. R., including Fulton and Beloit and Madison Lines, should take the trains from Wells street Depot.

All the above trains connect with the Great Eastern Lines, diverging from Chicago to all points East.

Through tickets can be bought at the following offices: H. J. Spaulding's, corner Lake and Dearborn sts.; P. F. W. & C. R. R. Ticket office, corner Randolph & Dearborn streets; Michigan Southern Office, under Tremont House, and at the Central and Wells street depots.

JOHN B. TURNER, President.

F. A. HALL, Superintendent.

W. A. THRALL, General Ticket Agent.

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1857.

S. S. BALL & CO.,

FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Dealers in all kinds of

PRODUCE, SALT, WATER LIME, PLASTER, &c. &c.,

GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN.

Agents and Proprietors of Ball's line of Steamers ON GRAND RIVER;

Agents for the

American and Western Transportation Co.'s Line from New York.

J. B. HUGUNIN, Agent........Chicago, Ill.
CUTLER & WARTS, Agents........Grand Haven, Mich.
DANIEL BALL. SIDNEY S. BALL.

Mark goods care of "Cutler & Warts," Grand Haven, Mich., by Ball's Line of Steamers, Grand River.

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Railroads.

Going Southwest.

St. Louis, Alton & Chicago R. R.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT—OCT. 26, 1857.

AIR-LINE ROUTE FROM CHICAGO TO ST. LOUIS, carrying the great American Express and United States Mails. All the way by Railroad. The only Direct and Reliable Route to the South and South-West. Seventy miles shorter than any other route.

Trains leave the MICHIGAN SOUTHERN and CHICAGO & ROCK ISLAND R. R., Corner Van Buren and Sherman streets.

St. Louis Express Mail, 11.30 A. M., daily (Sunday excepted)—arrive at St. Louis at 2.30 the next morning.

St. Louis Night Express, 10.30 P. M., daily every night—arrive in St. Louis at 1.30 the next night.

Trains arrive from St. Louis at 7 A M and 10 P M.

From Chicago to St. Louis, 13 Hours.

CONNECTIONS:

AT CHICAGO—With all the great Eastern and Northern lines.

AT JOLIET—with the Rock Island Railroad for Ottawa, La Salle, Rock Island and Central Iowa, and the "Cut-Off" Road.

AT PEORIA JUNCTION—With the Peoria & Oquawka R. R. to Peoria, Galesburg, Burlington and intermediate Stations.

AT BLOOMINGTON—with Illinois Central Railroad for Clinton, Waynesville and Decatur, and with Stages for Peoria, at Peoria Junction with Peoria and Oquawka R. R. for Walnut Grove, Washington, Peoria, Pekin, Brimfield, Elmwood, Knoxville, Galesburgh, Monmouth and Burlington.

AT SPRINGFIELD—with Great Western Railroad for Jacksonville, Naples and Illinois River.

AT ALTON—with Daily Line of Packets for Hannibal, Quincy and Keokuk; the most expeditious and reliable route to all portions of North-Western Missouri; and with the Terre Haute & Alton R. R. East.

AT ST. LOUIS—with Daily First Class Steamboats for New Orleans and intermediate Points on the Lower Mississippi; and with Regular Lines of Packets for Kansas, St. Joseph and all points on the Missouri, Tennessee, Cumberland and Arkansas Rivers, with the Ohio & Mississippi R. R. for the East, and with the Pacific R. R. for Northern Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska.

Passengers destined for Bloomington, Springfield, Decatur, Jacksonville, Naples and all points on the Mississippi, Missouri, Kansas, Cumberland and Tennessee rivers, by taking the above route, will be sure of making connections, and arriving in St. Louis on advertised time, avoiding the vexatious delays of the circuitous route via Peoria and Illinois River, saving twenty four hours time, being thirty-seven miles less distance to Bloomington, fifty-eight less to Springfield, seventy less to St. Louis, and fifteen less to Peoria than by any other route.

Through tickets can be procured at all the Eastern Railroad Offices; at the Company's office, 60 Dearborn street, opposite the Tremont House, and at the Michigan Southern and Rock Island Depot, corner Van Buren and Sherman streets.

Responsible Baggage Men will be at the Depots of the various roads coming into the City, to check Baggage through to any point desired on the Line.

A. H. MOORE, Sup't.

L. PARSONS, Agent, Chicago. m30

Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R.R.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT—CHANGE OF TIME—On and after DEC. 7, 1857, Passenger Trains will leave the Central Depot, foot of South Water and Lake streets, daily, as follows:

8.45 A. M.—Day Express, (Sundays excepted,) arriving at Burlington at 7 P M.

8.00 P. M.—Night Express, (Saturdays excepted,) arriving at Burlington at 6 A. M., and Quincy at 11 A. M.

4.15 P. M.—(Sundays excepted)—Accommodation for Batavia and Aurora.

IMPORTANT LOCAL CONNECTIONS.

AT MENDOTA—With Illinois Central R. R.; north, for Amboy, Dixon, Freeport, Galena and Dunleith; south, for Lasalle, Tonica, Wenona, Panola, Bloomington, Decatur, St. Louis, Cairo, &c.

AT BURLINGTON—With Burlington & Missouri River R. R.; for Mount Pleasant, Fairfield, Ottumwa, Oskaloosa, Chariton, Fort Des Moines, Fort Dodge, Council Bluffs, Sioux City, and all portions of Kansas and Nebraska; with Western Stage Co. for Montrose, thence by rail to Keokuk.

AT QUINCY—With the Steamers of the St. Louis & Keokuk Packet Company; for Keokuk, Hannibal, Alton, St. Louis, &c.

AT PLYMOUTH—With stages for Keokuk.

AT HANNIBAL—With Hannibal & St Joseph RR for all parts of Northern Missouri and Kansas.

Tickets may be had at the Depot, and at the Michigan Central R. R. office, corner Lake and Dearborn sts.

C. G. HAMMOND, Gen'l Sup't.

SAMUEL POWELL, General Ticket Agent. ja3

Going South.

Illinois Central Railroad.

FOR ST. LOUIS, ALTON, LEAVENWORTH City, Kansas City, Terre Haute, Evansville, Vincennes, Peoria, Decatur, Springfield, Jacksonville, Naples, Cairo, Memphis, Natchez, Vicksburgh, New Orleans and all points on the lower Mississippi.

Trains will leave the Great Central Depot, foot of South Water and Lake streets, as follows:

Peoria, St. Louis, Cincinnati and Cairo Express at 9:30 A. M. (Sundays excepted.)

Peoria, St. Louis and Cairo Express at 8:45 P. M., (Sundays excepted.)

This is the only route between Chicago and St. Louis without change of cars, and the most expeditious to Springfield, Jacksonville and Naples.

To passengers for Memphis, Vicksburgh, New Orleans, &c., the route, via Cairo, is the only direct, and is twenty-four hours in advance of any other.

CONNECTING

AT GILMAN—With Peoria & Oquawka R R for Peoria, Galesburg and towns upon main line of Illinois Cent R R.

AT TOLONO—With trains of the Great Western R. R. east for Danville and Lafayette; west for Springfield, Jacksonville and Naples, and towns on the Illinois River.

AT MATTOON—With trains on the Terre Haute, Alton & St. Louis R. R., going east to Terre Haute, Indianapolis, Evansville and Crawfordsville; west for Alton and St. Louis.

AT ODIN AND SANDOVAL—With trains on the Ohio & Mississippi R. R.; east for towns upon its line; west for St. Louis and Alton.

AT ST. LOUIS—With Pacific R R and steamers for Kansas and Nebraska and all points on the Missouri river.

AT CAIRO—With steamers for Memphis, Natchez, New Orleans, and all points on the Mississippi river.

For Galena, Dunleith, Dubuque and St. Paul trains leave via Galena & Chicago Union R. R.

At 10 A. M. and 9:45 P.M.

Connecting at Dunleith with a daily line of First Class Passenger Steamers for Prairie du Chien, La Crosse, Winona, Hastings, Hudson, Prescott and St. Paul. Also, connecting at Dubuque with the DUBUQUE & PACIFIC R. R. for Dyersville, Independence, Cedar Rapids, Sioux City, &c.

For Bloomington, La Salle, Dixon, Amboy, Polo, &c., trains leave via Chicago & Burlington R. R.

At 9:45 A.M. and 8:00 P.M.

Making direct connections at Mendota with trains on Main Line of Illinois Central for all of the above points.

THROUGH TICKETS

Can be obtained at the office of the Michigan Central R. R., opposite Tremont House, corner Lake and Dearborn sts.; also, at the office of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago R. R., opposite Tremont House; and at the office of this company, in the Great Central Depot, foot of South Water and Lake streets.

JAS. C. CLARKE, Master Transportation.

W. P. JOHNSON, General Ticket Agent.

SILAS BENT, Sup't Chicago Division.

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Illinois Central Railroad.

HYDE PARK SPECIAL TRAIN

CHANGE OF TIME.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, NOV. 23, THE Hyde Park Train will run as follows—leaving the Illinois Central Passenger Depot:

Going to Hyde Park. Leaving Hyde Park
[illegible] A. M. 8:25 A. M.
[illegible] P. M. 6:45 P. M.

Fare each way, 10c.

Commutation tickets may be had by application to the General Ticket Agent, Illinois Central Passenger Depot. No half fare tickets or free passes are used for this train.

JAMES C. CLARK, Master Trans.

W. P. JOHNSON, Gen'l Ticket Agent. no7

FARE FROM CHICAGO TO LOUISVILLE ONLY $7

New Albany and Salem Railroad,

FOR NEW ALBANY, LOUISVILLE, LEXINGTON and Frankfort, Kentucky. Extending from Lake Michigan to the Ohio River at New Albany, opposite Louisville.

The only Direct Route from Chicago to Louisville, Frankfort and Lexington, Ky., Lafayette, Indianapolis, Cincinnati, Dayton, Columbus, Zanesville, &c. &c.

It is also the Quickest and most Direct Route to Wheeling, Pittsburg, Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia, &c.

TWO DAILY TRAINS LEAVE CHICAGO,

Via Michigan Central Railroad, as follows:

7.00 A. M. Cincinnati and Louisville Express, arriving in Cincinnati at 10 P. M., running directly through to Cincinnati without change of cars or baggage.

8.00 P.M. Night Express, running directly through to Louisville, connecting at Lafayette for Indianapolis and all other points mentioned above, arriving at Cincinnati at 12 M. and at Louisville at 3.30 P. M.

Both Trains connect at Greencastle with Trains of Terre Haute and Richmond Railroad, in season for passengers to take that Road either east or west, and to take passengers from ST. LOUIS, CAIRO, &c., to New Albany and Louisville. Also with trains on Ohio & Mississippi Railroad, at Mitchell.

Only one change of Cars between Chicago and New Albany

Baggage checked through.

Through Tickets can be had at all of the principal Railroad Offices in the West. Also at the Passenger Station of the Michigan Central Railroad, foot of Lake street, the Office, corner of Lake and Dearborn streets, opposite Tremont House, Chicago.

Be careful to get Through Tickets by way of New Albany and Salem Railroad.

JOHN P. ANDERSON, Sup't.

G. M. SABIN, Gen. Passenger Agent.

JAS. PATTON, Gen. Traveling Agent. sep3

Burlington and Missouri River R. R.

IOWA, MISSOURI, NEBRASKA AND KANSAS—Great United States Mail and Passenger Route! In connection with the Western Stage Co., Through all the Principal Towns in Iowa, to the Missouri River, connecting at Burlington with the

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The 5.40 P.M. train leaves above station for Waukegan and all way stations.

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Chicago, Oct. 28, 1857.

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CONNECTICUT

MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

HARTFORD, CONN.

Capital........$2,500,000

JAMES GOODWIN, President. | GUY R. PHELPS, Secretary.

Jno. B. Ackley, Agent,

Office No. 4 Masonic Temple, Chicago, Ill

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FARMERS' UNION INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF PENNSYLVANIA.

Cash Capital........$200,000

SAFELY INVESTED.

Surplus........$37,000

J. E. CAUFIELD, Secretary. | C. N. SHIPMAN, President.

This Company having complied with the Insurance Law of Illinois, takes Risks on Dwellings, Furniture, Buildings, Goods, Produce, and all kinds of Insurable Property in Chicago and vicinity.

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FARMERS' & MECHANICS' INSURANCE CO.,

OF PHILADELPHIA, PA.

(Fire and Marine.)

Capital........[illegible]

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au25-6m-a28 Cor. Clark & S. Water sts.

THE GREAT WESTERN INSURANCE COMPANY,

CHICAGO, ILL.

Authorized Capital........$500,000
Paid in and Secured........[illegible]

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The above Company, being now fully organized under a Charter granted by the Legislature of this State, is prepared to issue Policies against loss or damage by Fire on Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture and other insurable property, at the customary rates.

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HOWARD FIRE & MARINE INSURANCE CO.

OF PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Capital........$600,000
Surplus Capital........$55,791 37

Aggregate Capital (including surplus) December 31st, 1856,

$655,791.37.

PERCIVAL M. POTTS, Pres't. | C. T. SPANGLER, Vice Pres't.
R. T. KENSEY, Treasurer. | W. H. WOODS, Secretary.

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Insurance effected on Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture, Lumber; on Vessels and Cargo; and Freight by Railroads, Lakes and Rivers—on liberal terms.

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LAMAR FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
Of New York City........Cash Capital, $200,000
MANHATTAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
Of New York City........Cash Capital, [illegible]
INDEMNITY FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
Of New York City........Cash Capital, [illegible]
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Of New York City........Cash Capital, [illegible]

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Statement of the Condition

OF THE

PROVIDENCE WASHINGTON INSURANCE CO,

ON THE 31ST DAY OF DECEMBER, 1857.

MADE TO THE AUDITOR OF PUBLIC Accounts of the State of Illinois, pursuant to the Statute of that State entitled "An Act to Regulate the Agencies of Insurance Companies not Incorporated by the State of Illinois," approved February 14th, 1855:

NAME AND LOCATION.

1. The name of the Company is "Providence Washington Insurance Company."

The Company is located at Providence, in the State of Rhode Island.

CAPITAL.

2. The amount of its capital stock is........$200,000
3. " " " paid up is........200,000

ASSETS.

4. Cash on hand, and in the hands of agents or other persons........$11,706 72
Cash in Banks........48,765 11
Cash receivable for interest and rents........6,716 00
........$67,188 83

Real Estate, unincumbered, (rated by city assessors at $157,000,)........160,000 00
Providence City Bonds, 5 per ct.—par value $100,000, market value........103,000 00
[illegible] Shares Exchange Bank, Providence—par value $30,000, market value........33,000 00

Total assets of the Company........$363,188 83

LIABILITIES.

5. The amount of liabilities due or not due to Banks or other creditors........None.
6. Losses adjusted and due........1387 00
7. Losses adjusted and not due........None.
8. Losses unadjusted........2,169 00
9. Losses in suspense waiting for further proof........None.
10. All other claims against the Company, not exceeding........1,200 00

Total liabilities........$5,[illegible] 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

11. The greatest amount insured in any one risk........$15,000 00
12. The greatest amount allowed by the Rules of the Company to be insured in any one city, town or village........Not defined.
13. The greatest amount allowed to be insured on any one block, not exceeding........$25,000 00
14. The Act of incorporation of said Company, A. D. 1799, on file in Auditor's Office.

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND, } ss.
County of Providence.

SULLIVAN DORR, President, and WARREN S. GREENE, Secretary of the Providence Washington Insurance Company, [illegible] by me personally known, being severally sworn, depose and say, that the foregoing is a true, full and correct statement of the affairs of said Company; that the said Insurance Company is the bona fide owner of at least One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars of Cash Capital invested in Stocks and Bonds of at least par value, or in Mortgages on unincumbered Real Estate worth at least double the amount for which the same is mortgaged; that the above described investments, nor any part thereof, are made for the benefit of any individual exercising authority in the management of said Company, either as President, Secretary, Treasurer, Director or otherwise; that the Mortgages above described have not been assigned, nor is any manner released or impaired by said Company, and that they are the above described officers of said Company.

SULLIVAN DORR, President.

WARREN S. GREENE, Secretary.

THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS—City and County of Providence.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this ninth day of January, 1858. In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my Notarial seal.

HENRY MARTIN, Notary Public.

[L. S.]

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Certificate to expire on the 31st day of January, 1859.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE, STATE OF ILLINOIS, } Springfield, January 14th, 1858.

Whereas, the Providence Washington Insurance Company, located at Providence, in the State of Rhode Island, has filed in this office, a statement of the condition of its affairs, as required by "An act to regulate the agencies of Insurance Companies not incorporated by the State of Illinois," approved February 14, 1855; and an act amendatory thereto, approved January [illegible]; and whereas the said Company has furnished satisfactory evidence that it is possessed of the required amount of capital invested in stocks and mortgages, and has filed in this office a written instrument, signed by the President and Secretary thereof, appointing W. B. Lounsbury, of Chicago, and State of Illinois, its agent for the transaction of the business of said company, and fully and unreservedly authorizing him to acknowledge service of process for and on behalf of said company, consenting that service of process, upon the agent, shall be taken and held to be as valid as if served upon the company, and waiving all claim or error by reason of such service. Now, therefore, in pursuance of the provisions of the act aforesaid, I, Jesse K. Dubois, Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, do hereby certify that the said W. B. Lounsbury is authorized as an agent for the said company, to transact the business of insurance in this State, until the thirty-first day of January, in the year eighteen hundred and fifty-nine, so far as he may be legally empowered so to do by said company.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the seal of my office, at Springfield, this fourteenth day of January, A. D. 1858.

[L. S.]

JESSE K. DUBOIS, Auditor P. A.

Insurance Office of W. B. Lounsbury,

No. 165½ South Water Street, Dole's Building, Chicago.

Mr. A. H. Van Buren, who has represented the above well known Insurance Company in this city for the past three years, having resigned its separate agency in my favor, will hereafter continue in my office, where he will be pleased to see his friends or customers, as heretofore.

W. B. LOUNSBURY, Agent.

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